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North Carolina

*"The North Carolina Baptist Way  
Living the Faith — Being the Church"*

**One Hundred and Fifth Annual Session**

**Held With**

**Bellview Baptist Church**

**September 7 and 8, 2001**

**Next Session to be held with**

**Laurel Springs Baptist Church**

**September 6 and 7, 2002**

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**Preacher:**

**Rev. Dana Hines**

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# ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH ANNUAL SESSION  
(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)

**SEPTEMBER 7 AND 8, 2001**  
***PARTNERS IN THE HARVEST***

## FRIDAY EVENING:

|      |                                      |                                         |
|------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| 7:15 | Musical Prelude                      | Dorothy Brooks                          |
| 7:30 | Hymn #63                             | <i>"I Stand Amazed"</i>                 |
|      | Welcome                              | Rev. Billy Felts                        |
|      | Devotional                           | Rev. Everette Shaw                      |
|      | Roll Call and Seating of Messengers: | Bob Richardson                          |
|      | Bellview                             | Laurel Springs                          |
|      |                                      | Liberty                                 |
|      | Mt. Carmel                           | Osborne Memorial                        |
| 7:45 | Recognition of Guests                | Bob Richardson                          |
| 7:50 | Hymn #55                             | <i>"I Will Sing The Wondrous Story"</i> |
| 8:00 | Special Music                        | Marvin & Betty Shaw                     |
| 8:10 | Reports                              | Executive Board                         |
|      |                                      | Bob Richardson                          |
|      |                                      | Treasurer                               |
|      |                                      | Dorothy Brooks                          |
|      |                                      | Historian                               |
|      |                                      | Mary Rector                             |
| 8:25 | Hymn #166                            | <i>"At Calvary"</i>                     |
| 8:30 | Special Music                        | Bellview                                |
| 8:40 | Sermon                               | Rev. Billy Felts                        |
|      | Closing Hymn of Fellowship#256       | <i>"Blest be the Tie"</i>               |
|      | Benediction                          | Rev. Russell Mabe                       |

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**SATURDAY MORNING:**

|       |                                                 |                                          |
|-------|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| 8:50  | Musical Prelude                                 | Dorothy Brooks                           |
| 9:00  | Youth and Children                              | Activity Downstairs                      |
| 9:00  | Devotional                                      | Rev. Dana Hines                          |
| 9:10  | Hymn #58                                        | <i>"Love Divine"</i>                     |
| 9:15  | Welcome and<br>Recognition of Guests            | Bob Richardson                           |
| 9:20  | WMU                                             | Wilma Foster                             |
| 9:30  | Hymn #161                                       | <i>"The Way of the Cross Leads Home"</i> |
| 9:35  | Vacation Bible School<br>& Director of Missions | Ross Wagner                              |
|       | Baptist Children's Homes                        |                                          |
|       | Baptist Retirement Homes                        |                                          |
| 9:50  | Special Music                                   |                                          |
| 9:55  | Hymn #352                                       | <i>"I Am Thine"</i>                      |
| 10:00 | Reports                                         | Finance (Budget) Dorothy Brooks          |
|       |                                                 | Youth Sandra Myers                       |
|       |                                                 | Miscellaneous                            |
| 10:30 | Special Music                                   | Laurel Springs Choir                     |
| 10:35 | Nominating Committee Report<br>and Elections    | Wilma Foster                             |
| 10:55 | Hymn #404                                       | <i>"Tell It to Jesus"</i>                |
| 11:00 | Memorial Service                                | Dorothy Brooks                           |
| 11:05 | Special Music                                   | Osborne Memorial Singers                 |
| 11:10 | Sermon                                          | Rev. Paul Mullen                         |
|       | Benediction and Blessing                        | Rev. Russell Mabe                        |
|       | Lunch                                           |                                          |



## Nominating Committee Report

### OFFICERS 2001-2002:

|                      |                                  |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Moderator            | Bob Richardson, Osborne Memorial |
| Vice Moderator       | Dana Hines, Laurel Springs       |
| Clerk                | Irene Wagner, Liberty            |
| Treasurer            | Dorothy Brooks, Bellview         |
| Asst. Clerk-Treas.   | Judy Mabe, Liberty               |
| Auditor              | Vicky Bartlett, Osborne Memorial |
| Historian            | Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial    |
| Pianist              | Dorothy Brooks, Bellview         |
| Asst. Pianist        | Irene Wagner, Liberty            |
| Chorister            | Buster Story, Laurel Springs     |
| Youth Director       | Gay Scott, Bellview              |
| Asst. Youth Director | Glenn Somers, Osborne Memorial   |
| VBS Director         | Ross Wagner, Liberty             |

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

|                 |                         |
|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Wilma Foster    | Laurel Springs Chairman |
| William Sand    | Bellview                |
| Irene Wagner    | Liberty                 |
| Jimmy Gillespie | Mt. Carmel              |
| Roger Pugh      | Osborne Memorial        |

### FINANCE COMMITTEE:

|                          |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Dorothy Brooks, Chairman | Bellview         |
| Joann Hoppers            | Liberty          |
| Jan Shaw                 | Mt. Carmel       |
| Reba Osborne             | Osborne Memorial |
| Shelia Taylor            | Laurel Springs   |

Director  
Asst. Director  
Pianist  
Asst. Pianist

**MUSIC COMMITTEE:**

Buster Story, Laurel Springs  
Amanda Miller, Bellview  
Dorothy Brooks, Bellview  
Irene Wagner, Liberty

**YOUTH & CHILDRENS HOME COMMITTEE:**

|                                  |                  |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Gay Scott, Director              | Bellview         |
| Glenn Somers, Assistant Director | Osborne Memorial |
| Irene Wagner                     | Liberty          |
| Wanda Lyons                      | Mt. Carmel       |
| Sandra Myers                     | Laurel Springs   |

**MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE:****(ADULTS ON MISSION)**

|                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| Bellview         | Dorothy Brooks |
| Laurel Springs   | Barbara Petty  |
| Liberty          | Irene Wagner   |
| Mt. Carmel       | Wanda Lyons    |
| Osborne Memorial | Glen Somers    |

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS:**

|                        |              |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Director               | Wilma Foster |
| Co-Ed Youth Consultant | Judy Mabe    |
| Secretary              | Irene Wagner |

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman

**THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED OF:**

Officers Of The Association, Pastors Of Each Church, And  
The Following Representatives From Each Church:

|                  |                                                               |
|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Bellview         | Guy Brooks, Dorothy Brooks,<br>Leonard Church, & Linda Church |
| Laurel Springs   | Dan Taylor, Everette Elliott, &<br>Ken Kern                   |
| Liberty          | Dewey Hoppers & Walton Joines                                 |
| Mt. Carmel       | Jimmy Gillespie & Robert Patrick                              |
| Osborne Memorial | Alva Farmer & Bob Richardson                                  |

**ORDINATION COMMITTEE:**

|                                      |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman         | Mt. Carmel |
| All Other Pastors In The Association |            |

**MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION**

**BELLVIEW** - Dorothy Brooks, Guy Brooks, Leonard Church, Linda Church, Brad Mabe, & Beth Mabe

**LAUREL SPRINGS** - Kathryn Nielsen, Louise Loggins, & Everette Elliott

**LIBERTY** - Dewey Hoppers, Walton Joines, Ross Wagner

**MT. CARMEL** - Rev. Everette Shaw, Marvin Shaw, Jay Shaw, & Robert Patrick

**OSBORNE MEMORIAL** - Keith Hawks, Robert Shaw, Mildred Shaw, & Veronica Espinza

**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

105th ANNUAL SESSION

**PROCEEDINGS**

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 7, 2001

The one hundred and fifth annual session of the Alleghany Baptist Association was convened Friday, September 7, 2001 at Bellview Missionary Baptist Church following a musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks.

Following the singing of "*I Stand Amazed in the Presence*". Host Pastor Billy Felts gave the welcome.

Rev. Everette Shaw did the devotional.

Bob Richardson, Moderator, did the roll call and seating of the messengers.

The congregation sang "*I Will Sing the Wondrous Story*" followed by special music by Marvin and Betty Shaw.

Bob Richardson gave the Executive Board Report which was seconded by Everette Shaw and approved.

Mrs. Dorothy Brooks presented the Treasurer's Report which was approved after second of Robert Patrick.

Mrs. Mary Rector gave the Historian's Report which was approved on second of Everette Elliott.

The congregation sang "*At Calvary*."

Bellview Youth, Bellview Choir, William Smith, and Debbie Joines presented the special music.

Rev. Billy Felts, host pastor, gave the sermon. The congregation sang "Blest Be the Tie."

Rev. Russell Mabe gave the benediction.

## SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 8

Following a musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks, Rev. Dana Hines gave the devotional.

The congregation sang "*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*."

Bob Richardson, Moderator, gave the welcome.

Wilma Foster gave the Woman's Missionary Union Report which was approved.

The congregation sang "He Keeps Me Singing." or The Way of the Cross Leads Home.

Ross Wagner gave the Vacation Bible School Report, the Director of Missions Report, the Baptist Children's Home Report, and the Baptist Retirement Homes Report. They were approved.

There was special music by Amber Story and Stevea Tucker.

The congregation sang "*I Am Thine, O Lord*."

Dorothy Brooks presented the budget for 2001-2002 which was approved. Included in that was the increase of D.O.M.'s salary .

Youth Report by Sandra Myers was approved.

Laurel Springs Choir gave special music.

Nominating Committee Report was presented by Wilma Foster and the election of officers was approved.

The congregation sang "*Tell It to Jesus*."

Dorothy Brooks presented the Memorial Service followed by special music by Osborne Memorial Singers.

Rev. Paul Mullen preached the sermon.

Russell Mabe gave the benediction and blessing.

## **MODERATOR'S REPORT**

"Greetings" from the Executive Board. Time goes so slow sometimes; and yet here it is, time for our annual session again. What a joy it has been to serve as your moderator again this year. I want to thank the members of the board for their faithful and dedicated service. Your churches were well represented again this year.

I would like to thank all the churches for the cards, calls, prayers, and every act of kindness shown me during the sickness and loss of my father. It took so much of my year I felt at times I let you down in being unable to go to functions and meetings. But it was time I had to give him, and it was a growing experience seeing God work in many miraculous ways. Prayers answered that I prayed for many years and some almost instantly. Isn't our God wonderful!

I have heard news from our churches that has so blessed me over the year. Many souls have come to know the Lord throughout our association. Many projects and missions have been shared by the membership. Thank you again for carrying on the work as you have this year.

I pray as you hear of proposed work for the coming year, that we will seek to find where God is on mission in our midst and join Him to serve as He leads.



I have high expectations and I'm very excited to serve this coming year, if you chose for me to. Thanks again for your prayers, your confidence and support through my years as moderator. I count it an honor and privilege to have the opportunity to be a part of this group of churches bound together by the love of God and commitment to unite to serve Him.

May God bless each member in a special way this year.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bob Richardson, Moderator

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the financial records of Dorothy Brooks, Treasurer of Alleghany County Baptist Association and found them accurate.

Vicky P. Bartlett  
Auditor



## **BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY**

Bellview Baptist Church is located on State Road 113, approximately three miles from Laurel Springs Post Office.

The first written record of Bellview's existence was found in a Bible belonging to Alice Long Jones - stating that Sunday School was conducted in the Masonic Lodge Hall, which also served as a two teacher school. In later years, the Lodge united with Sparta; the school consolidated with Nathan's Creek; and the building was sold and torn down.

Bellview Baptist Church was established in 1896 with nineteen members. The statistical roll of churches in the 1896-97 minutes of the Ashe and Alleghany Association record Reverend Frank B. Cheek as Pastor and J.W. Phouts as Church Clerk. Little else is known about Bellview until approximately ten years later.

On May 9, 1909, Bellview was reorganized with twenty-one members. Shortly thereafter, the present frame building with a seating capacity of one hundred fifty was constructed. The Reverend George M. Reeves served as Pastor. Lloyd S. Richardson as Clerk, and Shade Plummer as Deacon.

Many pastors have served Bellview over the years. Limited services were held from 1953 until 1971 when Reverend Jimmy Warden was elected Pastor. Under Reverend Warden's leadership, the church made progress in all areas, as has been the case under all succeeding pastors.

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Following the resignation of Reverend Warden in 1976, Reverend Lloyd Burgess was elected pastor in January of 1977 and served until his resignation in October of 1988. In 1988, the Reverend John Huffman was elected pastor and served until February, 1997. In August, 1997, Reverend Billy Felts was elected pastor and serves to the present.

Brother Larry Scott serves as Chairman of Deacons. Completing the Deacon Board are Brothers Guy Brooks, Leonard Church, Eddie Hart, and Brad Mabe. Brothers Steven Joines and William Smith are inactive deacons.

From 1976 to date, church treasurers have been: Lessie Shepherd (1976 - 1986), Becky Scott (1987-1988), and Dorothy Brooks (1988-present).

From 1960 to date, church clerks have been: Juanita Church (1960-1975), Virginia Warden (1975-1979), JoAnn Church (1979-1984), Brenda Faw (1985-1999), and Judith Sands (2000-present).

Upkeep and maintenance have been an on-going project. In 1979, a tract of land was donated to Bellview from the F.U. Taylor Estate in loving memory of Mr. Taylor. This land was developed into a fellowship and recreation area with a pavilion, swings, and a merry-go-round. A piano was purchased in memory of Victor Jones. New pulpit furniture serves as a memorial to George Shepherd. A granite sign at the new drive on State Road 113 is in memory of Maggie Atwood.

In the late seventies, a need for more room resulted in Bellview's first major renovation, including four new Sunday School rooms, a Fellowship hall, and a Pastor's study. New sheetrock and wainscoting brighten the walls of the Sanctuary; indirect lighting and a vaulted drop ceiling also add to the beauty of the church. In 1998, work began on enclosing the pavilion area with upgrades continuing to be made.

Bellview hosted the Alleghany Baptist Association in 1912, 1919, 1927, 1933, 1942, 1953, 1972, 1982, 1991, 1996 (Bellview's 100th anniversary and the Association's 100th annual session) and in 2001.

Bellview and the Association wish to acknowledge the following individuals and to thank them for their extensive research and preservation of records: the late Mrs. A.O. Joines, Mrs. T.S. Moxley, and Brenda Faw.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Rector, Historian

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**ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH REPORT  
2000-2001  
Youth News**

**This year's events for the Associational Youth  
Included:**

**February - A Pizza Supper and Game time. The youth also wrote letters to missionaries in different areas.**

**March - Attendance of a spaghetti supper to raise funds for St. Judes Hospital. This event was actually planned by Kristen Hines, as a Senior project.**

**We also cleaned toys for Cora's Charities. This was fun. The toys were many, and the participants received a special surprise from Tina Blevins.**

**April - Children's Home Picnic at Thomasville Children's Home. The trip to the home was very enlightening. The youth went to the grocery store, purchased the food and then helped serve. This resulted in a return visit to Laurel Springs Church by one of the cottage leaders and her group of kids. Their testimony was a blessing.**

- June -            Vacation Bible School at individual churches.**
- July -            Picnic - Fun and Games. The rainy atmosphere did not stop us from enjoying some inside games and fellowship.**

**The Association Youth plans to purchase an ad in the Alleghany Senior annual.**

**We did not get to do as many things as we originally planned due to various scheduling conflicts, but the activities completed were a blessing for all who participated.**

**God has truly blessed our various churches with talented youth. Praise and honor be to Him for anything accomplished during this year.**

**Let us continue to pray for the youth. May they grow in knowledge and service to Our Lord.**

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## **Baptist Children's Homes Of North Carolina**

**Baptist Children's Homes serves record number of children.** In 2000, Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina served a record 2,000 children and more than 1,600 families statewide. BCH operates residential campuses in Thomasville, Pembroke, Kinston and Clyde, a maternity home in Asheville, a teen mother/baby home in Lenoir, value change homes for boys and girls in Franklin and Asheville and for girls in Lenoir, a wilderness camp for boys in Cameron, emergency care cottages at each of the residential campuses and in Wayneville, and a model day care in Thomasville.

**Children tell their stories during the Baptist State Convention report.** Standing ovations, applause and heartfelt hugs greeted the children and staff at their 30-minute presentation during the 2000 Baptist State Convention in Winston-Salem. More than 130 BCH children, child care workers and staff sang, shared their stories and said "thank you" to the approximately 4,500 messengers attending the Tuesday afternoon session. Messengers heard the special testimonies from Citadel graduating senior and former Broyhill Home resident Jason Davis and Hannah Adams' mother Donna. Hannah has participated in both the 2000 and 2001 BCH Respite Camp for Developmentally Disabled Adults.



**Jason Davis thanks messengers.** Jason was featured in the 1995 Baptist Children's Homes report to the convention. At the time he was 17 and dreamed of a career in the Air Force. During his testimony at the 2000 convention, Jason appeared in the full dress uniform of The Citadel. He reminded messengers that if it had not been for their care and support he could have never realized his dream. He told messengers that he credited them for the opportunities he has known. Jason said he plans to always come back to visit the children and just as others gave to help him, he would give to help the other children who would come to BCH after him. Upon his graduation from The Citadel in May, 2001, Jason Davis was commissioned as a Lieutenant in the United States Air Force.

**Donna Adams claims Developmental Disabilities Ministry an answer to prayer.** The final testimony of the BCH presentation was not given by a child, but by a mother. Donna Adams of Laurinburg strained to maintain her composure as she shared how BCH's new ministry for developmentally disabled adults was the answer to her prayers. Adams's daughter Hannah suffered brain damage as an infant. Today, Hannah is a beautiful young woman. Donna said she is comforted in knowing North Carolina Baptists and the Baptist Children's Homes would be there as her family plan for Hannah's future. She thanked messengers on behalf of others parents and families of developmentally disabled children for their support and commitment to this ministry.



**North Carolina Baptists reach \$1,000,000**

**Thanksgiving Offering goal.** Because of the support of Baptist churches all across North Carolina, Baptist Children's Homes met the 2000 Thanksgiving Offering goal of \$1,000,000! The goal was record for the agency. BCH president Michael C. Blackwell said he was "enormously gratified at this outpouring response." Baptist Children's Homes is grateful to all North Carolina Baptists who committed themselves to help meet this challenging goal.

**First Baptist Church of Salisbury sets goal they couldn't reach.** Interim pastor Dr. Dale Steel said collecting a church record of \$18,300 for the 2000 Thanksgiving Offering was fun. Dr. Steel recounted the meetings that led to setting the church's goal at 1% of the total BCH goal of \$1 million or \$10,000. In 1999, the church gave approximately \$3,500. The church's leadership decided to set a goal they could not reach on their own. Leading with prayer and a commitment to meet the goal, the church watched as they passed their goal and reached their record amount. One month after receiving the record Thanksgiving Offering, the First Baptist Church of Salisbury collected the third-largest Lottie Moon ingathering in 11 years. Dr. Steel credits the church's vision, enthusiasm and determination to do their part for missions as being the key to their success.

**BCH breaks ground on two new DDM homes, and dedicates new children's cottage in Marshville.** In June, Baptist Children's Homes broke ground for two new group homes for developmentally disabled adults in Winston-Salem. The homes - Davis House and Hinkle House - are being built adjacent to BCH's Baptist House at Bethabara and will open in early 2002. The R.P. and Ella Mae Stegall Home was dedicated August 19, 2001. The new group home is located in Marshville and provides residential care for nine boys.

***New Millennium Families* study guide offered to churches.** The study guide to accompany Dr. Michael C. Blackwell's book ***New Millennium Families*** is being made available to churches for group Bible studies this fall. Dr. Blackwell believes BCH can help strengthen families in North Carolina Baptist churches and is committed to providing the necessary resources. Dr. Blackwell's new book, ***A Place for Miracles***, is a history of Baptist Children's Homes, and will be available in late 2001.

**BCH anticipates another record Thanksgiving Offering.** The 2001 Thanksgiving Offering goal is \$1,100,000. This represents a \$100,000 increase over last year's record-setting amount. The number may seem enormous, but there is an enormous need. Children and families turn to BCH broken, battered and burdened. But with the help of North Carolina Baptists, BCH shows them God's love. BCH is counting on North Carolina Baptist churches to help meet this important goal during this time

of economic uncertainty. Call 1-800-476-3669, ext. 1209 to order promotional material, the new Thanksgiving Offering video, last year's BCH Convention Presentation video or to request a speaker to tell the BCH story in person.

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Program, church-designated and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables us to fulfill our mission statement: "helping hurting children...healing broken families.

**BCH is grateful for North Carolina Baptists' prayers and support.**

Respectfully submitted by,  
Michael C. Blackwell, President  
Sandy Saunders, Chairman  
Board of Trustees

## **BAPTIST HOSPITAL 2001 Report to the Associations**

### **HOSPITAL FOCUSED ON PARTNERSHIPS IN HEALING**

"We desire to build a hospital to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer." Baptist Hospital's founding commission penned these words in 1921, and this partnership in healing has been our defining purpose. Our Christian heritage remains the foundation of Baptist Hospital and undergirds our daily commitment to provide compassionate, state-of-the-art medical care to those we serve. The Christian faith is truly the "soul of our institution."

## SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

The mission of the School of Pastoral Care at Baptist Hospital is: *To provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ.* We are thankful that North Carolina Baptists are a significant partner in this mission, helping us bring hope to thousands of people each year.

The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provided ministry during the past year through more than 61,000 pastoral visits, and worship services every Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The department's Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) program received a 10-year accreditation from the Association of Clinical Pastoral Education site review team. Fifty-eight students received training in one of the largest and finest CPE programs in America.

The Department of Pastoral Counseling, CareNet, Inc. continues to develop its ministries. Rev. Steve Scoggin became the director of the system's newest center, the East Carolina Counseling Centers, Inc. in Greenville, N.C. CareNet's counseling centers provided more than 25,500 hours of compassionate pastoral counseling in 17 locations across the state during the year. It is the largest pastoral counseling system in the nation. Thanks to N.C. Baptists, free or reduced rate counseling is made available to lower income people.

The Center for Congregational Health, Inc. continues to assist churches in becoming healthier communities of faith. The Center provides consultation to 25 congregations a month. Over 600 church leaders received training in educational events conducted by the Center during the past year. These include the Young Leaders Program for ministers under age 40, and Intentional Interim Ministry training. Thanks to N.C. Baptists, the Center receives essential support for its ministries. This support pays for initial consultation for all Baptist churches, and provides subsidies for churches and ministers who need special financial assistance.

The Department of Church and Community Relations continues to serve as a liaison between the Hospital and churches of the Baptist State Convention. The department's director, Rev. Paul Mullen, provided ministry through 150 requests for assistance with obtaining medical care or concerns about medical bills. More than \$65,000 was provided to N.C. Baptist ministers and their families by the 25% subsidy for their hospital bills. A variety of benevolent ministries was also coordinated, primarily the Baptist Benevolent Fund.

### **BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND**

North Carolina Baptists, through the Mother's Day Offering, opened their hearts to patients in financial need and gave \$560,624 in 2000 for compassionate mission of benevolent care at Baptist Hospital. All of these funds were used to pay the hospital bills of patients in financial need. The fund helps patients who "fall between the cracks," making too much for government assistance but not enough to pay for healthcare insurance. They are deeply thankful to N.C. Baptists for this gracious witness to God's love. As one recipient said, "God smiled on us through Baptists of North Carolina." Her son is a 13-year-old cancer patient.

### **ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL**

*Ranked Among the Nation's Best* - Baptist Hospital, part of Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center, ranks among the nation's top hospitals according to the July 2001 issue of *U.S. News and World Report*. One hundred eighty-eight of the nation's 6,299 hospitals appear on this list.

*Comprehensive Cancer Center Recognized for Excellence* - The Medical Center's Comprehensive Cancer Center received a 5-year renewal of its status from the National Cancer Institute. The Comprehensive Cancer Center is one of only 37 such centers in the nation, and is the only one in western North Carolina. It includes Prostate and Breast Cancer Centers of Excellence.



*Medical Center Earns Recognition for Trauma Care* - Baptist Hospital, a Level One Trauma Center, received verification in both adult and pediatric trauma services in February 2001 by the American College of Surgeons. It is the first Level One Trauma Center in North Carolina to receive such recognition.

*Downtown Health Plaza Opens* - The 47,000 square foot Downtown Health Plaza opened in 2001 to provide healthcare for underserved people in Forsyth and surrounding counties. Thousands of indigent children, adolescents, and adults have received compassionate and thorough medical care during the year.

*Expansion of Brenner Children's Hospital* - Construction of a 400,000 square foot, 11-story addition to the hospital's Ardmore Tower is moving toward completion. Six of the floors will provide space for Brenner Children's facilities, such as private patient rooms, family resource centers, and programs for children with disabilities. The Tower will also include new cardiac catheterization labs and operating rooms.

*Information and Appointments* - For more information on health related issues or to make an appointment with a physician, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

## **A CLOSING WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT**

The values of our Christian faith are the guiding principles of the North Carolina Baptist Hospital mission. We are strongly committed to be a place of healing, bridging compassionate and respectful care in the Spirit of Christ with the best of medical science and technology. This commitment reflects our heritage and shapes our vision for the future. We are thankful to North Carolina Baptists for being our partner in this healing mission. We were created to serve and care for people in times of their greatest healthcare needs, and we are here for you.

Respectfully submitted,

Len B. Preslar, Jr.

President, The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated

## **BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES**

**OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.**

**PROUDLY SERVING OLDER ADULTS SINCE 1951**

### **WHAT IS BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES?**

Founded in 1951, Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc. (BRH) is one of North Carolina's most respected providers of long-term care. With four retirement communities throughout the state, BRH provides all levels of care for Older Adults, including special programs for conditions such as Alzheimer's Disease. The Homes' new continuing care retirement community called The Gardens of Taylor Glen is under development near Charlotte. BRH also owns and operates a home health program that provides certified nursing and therapy services to homebound individuals. Baptist Retirement Homes is a not-for-profit organization affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

### **ARE RESIDENTS OF BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES PRIMARILY BAPTISTS?**

At the Brookridge Community, 60% of the resident population is Baptist. About 80% of the resident population of the Western North Carolina Baptist Home is Baptist. The Taylor House and the Hamilton Baptist Home are primarily composed of Baptist residential populations.

### **WHAT IS THE COST OF SERVICES? ARE FINANCIAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT PAY?**

Fees vary according to facilities and the level of care chosen or required by residents. A full schedule of fees for each facility is available upon request. There are no entrance fees associated with any of the health-related facilities owned and operated by Baptist Retirement Homes.



The Hamilton Baptist Home and The Taylor House are among the few not-for-profit, church-related, long-term care facilities in North Carolina with no financial requirements for admission. Contributions received from the Baptist State Convention Cooperative Program, the North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and from local Baptist churches across the state are used exclusively to help BRH provide care for those Older Adults in either assisted living or nursing care who are unable to pay the full cost of services they need.

#### **DOES THE BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA SUPPORT BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES?**

Baptist Retirement Homes is affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina but is a separate and distinct corporate entity. Messengers of the churches that compose the Baptist State Convention elect BRH Board members. In 1999, funds received from the Convention Cooperative Program, the North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and local Baptist churches totaled approximately \$1.6 million. All of those monies are being used to support Older Adults living in assisted living or nursing care who lack sufficient financial resources to pay for the care they receive.

#### **WHERE ARE BRH FACILITIES LOCATED AND WHAT SERVICES DO THEY OFFER?**

**The Brookridge Retirement Community** in Winston-Salem is a 44-acre continuing care retirement community, established in 1989. Brookridge offers its 300 residents independent and assisted living and nursing care services. Accommodations range from garden homes to apartments to assisted living and nursing services care at Prince Nursing Center.

The Brookridge Transitional Care Unit opened in 1995, offering post-acute medical care on site. Home health care is also available on site through In Home Care, Inc., a Baptist Retirement Homes affiliate. Brookridge is a full-service retirement community, offering meal service, nursing services, recreational activities, housekeeping, religious activities, dementia services, a water therapy/exercise center, and more. For more information, contact:

*Brookridge Retirement Community, 1199 Hayes Forest Drive, Winston-Salem, NC 27106*

*336-759-1044 (FAX) 336-759-7389\* Web site: [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)*

**Western North Carolina Home**, 213 Richmond Hill Drive, Asheville, NC 28806

*828-254-9675 (FAX) 828-254-0253\* Web site: [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)*

**Hamilton Baptist Home**, 301 North Railroad Street, Hamilton, NC 27840

*252-798-5901\* Web site: [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)*

**The Taylor House**, 319 Palmer Street, Albemarle, NC 28001

*704-982-4217\* (FAX) 704-982-5366\* Web site: [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)*

**The Gardens of Taylor Glen**, 3700 Taylor Glen Lane, Concord, NC 28025

*704-788-6510\* Web site: [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)*

**In-Home Care**, 22 Miller Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27104  
*336-722-1470*

### **MORE QUESTIONS? CALL THE BAPTIST ELDER CARE NETWORK 1-800-887-7410**

The Elder Care Network is a free service offered by Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc. to Older Adults and their families. One number connects you to a statewide system of caregivers, community resources, and retirement communities to help you deal with many difficult issues of aging.

## **BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH 2000-2001**

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for His many blessings this past year, the greatest of which was the addition of 13 new members.

Members and guests continue to enjoy established traditions - including a fifth Saturday night singing; the selection of a secret pal (to be revealed at the annual Valentine banquet); the share-a-meal program (at which time the church prepares and delivers meals to sick or shut-in individuals in the community); church clean-up and beautification work days; Baptist Men's Day; Mothers' and Fathers' Day luncheons; a fall festival (in lieu of Halloween); and visits to the nursing home in Sparta. Bellview also hosted a spring revival, a fall revival, and a youth revival.

Special events included Homecoming 2000; Christmas activities including neighborhood caroling and a play presented by the youth; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; and a special New Year's Eve service. Also, Vacation Bible School was a great success and great success and enjoyed by all.

"Youth Sunday" and the children's message, established during the 1999-2000 year, continue to be a blessing.

Thanks to the work of a number of faithful members, several improvements were made to the church building and grounds. A food bar was created in the fellowship hall; a computer was set up in the pastor's study (thanks to the generosity of member David Brooks); seating capacity for the choir was enlarged; and some trees were cut and yard work done, affording improved visibility from Highway 113.

The members of Bellview wish to thank God for all He has done and ask that all who read this pray for our church and its members - that we may be good stewards of His blessings, honor Him in all we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

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BS, MA, MBA, MEd, MDIV, JD, PharmD****Toll-free: 1-800-334-4111****[www.campbell.edu](http://www.campbell.edu)**

- \* Thank you churches for your support of Christian Higher Education through the Cooperative Program.
- \* Thank you North Carolina Baptist Churches for your support of Baptist colleges and universities in North Carolina through budget plans A, B, C, and D.
- \* Beginning our 116th year of providing quality Christian Higher Education.
- \* Providing opportunities around the world, including 2,600 on our campus in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- \* The benefits of a major university, the advantages of an intimate college setting.
- \* Nearly 8,500 students representing all 50 states and more than 40 countries around the world.
- \* Providing students with an "Education for Life."

Alleghany Baptist Association  
Finance Committee Report  
2001-2002

|                     | 2000-2001        | 2001-2002        |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|
| DOM Salary(BSC)     | \$ 1,200.00      | \$ 1,612.50      |
| DOM Salary(ABA)     | \$ 3,960.00      | \$ 4,027.50      |
| Social Security Tax | \$ 394.74        | \$ 431.46        |
| Telephone           | \$ 450.00        | \$ 450.00        |
| Travel & Seminars   | \$ 600.00        | \$ 600.00        |
| Evangelism          | \$ 300.00        | \$ 300.00        |
| Church Training     | \$ 200.00        | \$ 200.00        |
| Youth Committee     | \$ 400.00        | \$ 400.00        |
| WMU                 | \$ 200.00        | \$ 200.00        |
| Printing Minutes    | \$ 400.00        | \$ 400.00        |
| Missions (Special)  | \$ 1,000.00      | \$ 1,000.00      |
| Operating Expense   | \$ <u>400.00</u> | \$ <u>400.00</u> |
| TOTAL               | \$ 9,504.74      | \$10,021.46      |

Percent Increase in Budget 1.07 %

Director of Missions Salary Information

|                               | 2000-2001  | 2001-2002  |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|
| DOM Salary(BSC of NC)         | \$1,200.00 | \$1,612.50 |
| Paid to T. R. Wagner          |            |            |
| DOM Salary(ABA)               | \$3,325.26 | \$3,356.04 |
| Paid to T. R. Wagner          |            |            |
| DOM Salary(ABA)               | \$ 394.74  | \$ 431.46  |
| Social Security               |            |            |
| Paid to IRS (Employee's Part) |            |            |
| DOM Salary(ABA)               | \$ 240.00  | \$ 240.00  |
| Annuity (retirement)          |            |            |
| Paid to Annuity Board         |            |            |
| TOTALS                        | \$5,160.00 | \$5,640.00 |



| Director of Missions Salary Information |           |           |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Monthly Salary                          | \$ 430.00 | \$ 470.00 |
| Hours Per Week                          | 20        | 20        |
| (50 Weeks per Year)                     |           |           |
| Hourly Wage                             | \$ 5.16   | \$ 5.64   |
| Able to apply for Annuity               |           |           |
| Board Health Insurance                  | Yes       | Yes       |

|                                      | Balance     | Five Year Comparison<br>Budget | Percent of Budget<br>in Checkbook at the<br>Start of the Year |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 9-1-97                               | \$ 975.18   |                                |                                                               |
| 1997-1998                            |             | \$5,028.16                     |                                                               |
| 1997 Annual Meeting                  |             |                                | 19.4 Percent                                                  |
| *****                                |             |                                |                                                               |
| 9-1-98                               | \$ 3,147.75 |                                |                                                               |
| 1998-1999                            |             | \$5,343.60                     |                                                               |
| 1998 Annual Meeting                  |             |                                | 58.9 Percent                                                  |
| *****                                |             |                                |                                                               |
| 9-1-99                               | \$ 5,352.27 |                                |                                                               |
| 1999-2000                            |             | \$7,435.40                     |                                                               |
| 1999 Annual Meeting                  |             |                                | 71.9 Percent                                                  |
| *****                                |             |                                |                                                               |
| 8-21-00                              | \$ 5,074.80 |                                |                                                               |
| 2000-2001                            |             | \$9,504.74                     |                                                               |
| 2000 Annual Meeting                  |             |                                | 53.4 Percent                                                  |
| //////////////////////////////////// |             |                                |                                                               |
| 2001-2002 Proposed Budget            |             |                                |                                                               |
| 8-01-01                              | \$ 4,620.84 |                                |                                                               |
| 2001-2002                            |             | \$10,200.00                    |                                                               |
| 2001 Annual Meeting                  |             |                                | 51.6 Percent                                                  |



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## DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

(Growing Together)

The association's letterhead has this phrase, *"Five Missionary Baptist Churches Growing Together In Loving God and Neighbors"*

Our churches started growing together, before I was born. Most of the churches in association have had good fellowship for over a century. So many folks have labored, and we are enjoying the fruit of their effort.

In 1997, our association was deciding whether to stay together, to merge, or to disband. "The moderator explained the pros and cons of the association with only five churches." Each church decided to stay with the association. I am especially grateful that the churches chose to go through the temporary hard times, because the annual meetings were such blessings to my grandmother.

As Director of Missions, I am blessed to be involved in each of our churches. When someone from one of churches moves away, I miss them. Students go off to college. Elderly saints move closer to loved ones. Serving along side so many Godly Christians helps me grow spiritually and be a better servant. Attending five Vacation Bible Schools is great! Worship Services, Bible Studies, Prayer Times, Trips, Baptizings, and Meals bless my heart.

Missionaries bring things from their mission field, so here are things from my mission field.

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## LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

We received a special blessing, the last Sunday of the associational year with the baptizing of a new believer on Sunday August 26, 2001.

The congregation, family, and friends stood on the bank at Doughton Hall to witness this special occasion. (Thanks to Eddie and Pam Hall for their assistance again this year.) We then returned to the fellowship room for a covered dish meal to celebrate the 96th Birthday of our oldest, active member, Madge Shepherd.

Our membership increased by three. One member, Harvey Pruitt, went to be with the Lord. We give God the glory for our many visitors who join us during the summer while camping in the area.

The Choir is a blessing as they sing God's Praises, and is blessed to have Dorothy Ferguson play the piano during the summer as she camps at Miller's Campground. She lives in Eden and has camped each summer since 1988 in Laurel Springs.

We had a wonderful, spirit-filled Spring Revival with Rev. Fred Jennings with an average attendance each night of 65.

We had six attend the Cook-Out at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville the end of April.

Support continues for local missions and missionaries. We go to a local nursing home to sing, witness, and serve refreshments.

Sandra and Katie Myers (mother and daughter) went to New York on a mission trip for Graffiti taking craft supplies and cake mixes.

We look forward to the Associational Revival. Visiting each church is wonderful fellowship.

Sunday School Picnic was held at Ashe County Park in July. VBS and Homecoming fell on the same date with good attendance for both. July was filled to capacity ending with Youth Sunday and a special speaker from Baptist Children's Home, followed by Pizza and homemade ice cream. Our youth are an inspiration to us, and we see them growing in the Lord each year.

Twice a year, it has been a tradition to fellowship with our Brothers and Sisters in Christ of Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church during Easter Sunrise Service followed by breakfast and a Christmas service.

Each Christmas the youth do a terrific play. We have our meal, pass out treats, remembering our shut-ins with special treats or baskets.

We observe New Year Eve Services with Liberty Baptist Church and Osborne Memorial Baptist Church with singing and preaching followed by refreshments.

Our only improvement was digging a well on the Church Property.

Blessed Be The Name of the Lord.

## *Memorial Service*

**BELLVIEW.....Mrs. Sophia Blevins**

**LAUREL SPRINGS.....Mr. Harvey Pruitt**

**LIBERTY.....Mr. Andy Cleary, Deacon  
Mrs. Jerry McMillian**

**MOUNT CARMEL.....Mr. Edwin Ketterling**

**OSBORNE MEMORIAL.....None**



**Mr. Andy Cleary  
Liberty Deacon**



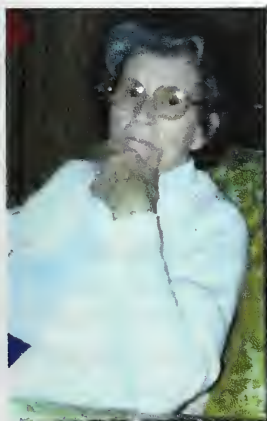
**Mrs. Jerry McMillian  
Liberty**



**Mr. Harvey Pruitt**  
**Laurel Springs**



**Mr. Edwin Ketterling**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Mrs. Sophia Blevins**  
**Bellview**



## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - WMU**

Laurel Springs WMU continues to be strong with good attendance at monthly meetings where a Mission/Bible Study is given and mission projects and prayer are emphasized.

Mission Projects this year have included:

Sending "We prayed for you" cards following each meeting to those prayer was requested for; Get Well, Sympathy, and Birthday Cards are sent throughout the month; Meals for families when there is illness or death; items for families whose homes were burned; Mission Money to Annie Armstrong and Graffitti; Craft supplies and cake mixes to Graffitti; and beginning this year the WMU will present a Bible to each new convert following Baptism.

We appreciate regular participation from Liberty.

## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - YOUTH**

**\* Service \* Prayer \* Worship \*  
Love \* Dedication \* Fun activities**

**Be Glad in the Lord and Rejoice**

The youth enjoyed working in the church grounds, spreading mulch and eating homemade ice cream. Some of the "young at heart" youth assisted in this.

The youth participated in the prayer for Bhutan. This was an all day prayer event praying that Bhutan will become a Christian country. It is still being prayed for.



The youth helped to organize and send literature to Graffiti to be used in their after school programs.

The Christmas play was very effective and the youth played a big role in its production.

Canned goods were collected and donated to the Boys Scouts for distribution.

Samaritans Purse shoeboxes were prepared and donated to Samaritans Purse for distribution.

The older youth hid Easter eggs for the younger ones to find and prizes were awarded.

The VBS was successful due to the participation of many of the youth in our church, making signs, posters, and helping decorate.

The youth welcomed and joined in a Pizza party with the Thomasville Childrens Home visitors.

## **LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH**

### **2000-2001**

We had gutters installed and did repair work on the picnic shelter.

We had 81 youth and adults from Florida for lunch and morning worship service.

We had a very successful VBS.

We continue to have mid-week Bible study.

We put up a new outdoor sign.

## **MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH 2000-2001**

### **Rev. Everette R. Shaw:**

\* In the January 25th issue of the *Alleghany News*, staff writer Robby Lucke interviewed Pastor Everette Shaw in a feature article. The newspaper chronicled his half-century in the ministry from being ordained in November 1950 to the present. As in his life, the strong message of the article was Everette's constant message of salvation through Jesus Christ. The article now hangs framed in the Fellowship Hall as a tribute to Everette's 49 years as pastor at Mt. Carmel Church.

### **Mt. Carmel Church and Fellowship Hall:**

\* Four people asked to join the church by letter. Two in September 2000 and two in July 2001.

\* The Mt. Carmel Fellowship Hall has become an important part of our church ministries and fellowship services. The tradition of "dinner on the grounds" has become "dinner in the hall." From baking Valentine Cakes for our community members to comforting bereaved church members, we find the spirit of Christ's love a strong part of our fellowship activities.

\* In March 2001, we held a dedication service for the fellowship hall with Rev. Fred Jennings. Contribution plaques and a bronze Honorium Leaf Tree were hung to honor all contributions made to complete our fellowship hall.

\* In May 2001 a new well was dug for the church and Fellowship Hall.

\* The church also purchased a little over an acre of land and added it to the cemetery

### **Holiday Events:**

\* Thanksgiving Dinner was provided for the public. Singing by Deanna & Daryl Blevins and the Christian Quartet filled the hall with fellowship. Approximately 125 meals were served.

\* The pre-school and primary classes performed Christmas plays. The Youth and adults joined to perform While Angels Watched. Shoeboxes collected for Samaritan's Purse were the most ever collected by the church.

\* The New Year's Eve singing found many new singing voices joining in the fellowship. The midnight hour passed, but the voices remained strong into the early hours of January 1st.

\* The Easter Sunrise service filled the parking lot outside the fellowship hall with songs and worship. All afterwards enjoyed a fellowship breakfast.

\* Mother's Day and Father's Day saw special craft presentations and readings for mothers and fathers by Youth, pre-school and primary school children. These included butterfly poems, plants, candles and bible markers.

**Missions Supported:**

\* NC Baptist Children's Home, Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, Annie Armstrong Missions, NC Baptist Hospital, and the Gideons.

**Revivals:**

\* The Alleghany Baptist Association Fall Revival started at Mt. Carmel Church with the church choir and "pastors group" singing. Rev. Fred Jennings preached the Spring Revival in April 2001.

**Benefit Fundraising Events:**

\* In October 2000, the church adults and youth sang at the Sparta Elementary Multiple Sclerosis fundraiser for Sheila Andrew's senior project.

\* In March 2001, the church had an outpouring of support for our member Kristin Hines as she asked us to support her senior project. Kristin's goal was to collect 100 teddy bears and raise \$1,000 for St. Jude's Hospital. Kristin well exceeded her goal.

**Mt. Carmel Food Closet:**

\* Mt. Carmel Church saw a major expansion of our Food Closet ministry this year with the addition of a \$3,000 grant from the NC Baptist State Convention, NC Hunger Fund. As of July 2001, we have served 199 people with 4,179 meals. This grant allows us to expand our Christian help by paying the electric bills of unemployed community members and helping with clothing and other household items as needed.

### Vacation Bible School:

\* VBS was a huge success as the theme F-R-O-G-S (meaning Forgive, Respect, Obey, Give Thanks & Serve) drew the youth to the excitement of learning about Jesus. Excitement was created with a real pond built in the church complete with pond water, lily pads and live tadpoles as well as a treasure chest of prizes. Anyone bringing a friend to VBS got to choose a gift from the treasure chest. Average attendance was 64.

### **MOUNT CARMEL WMU**

THE MOUNT CARMEL WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION MEETS EVERY SECOND THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CHURCH'S FELLOWSHIP HALL AT 7 O'clock. OUR MEMBERSHIP IS CURRENTLY AT 18 MEMBERS.

THE BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE HAS BEEN VERY BUSY THIS YEAR. THEY HAVE DELIVERED FOOD, FLOWERS, AND HELPED THE FAMILIES AS MUCH AS THEY COULD.

WE ALSO SENT CARDS, FLOWERS, AND MONETARY GIFTS TO MANY SICK AND SHUT-INS.

FOR PASTOR APPRECIATION DAY THE WMU DECIDED TO GIVE OUR PASTOR A DAY OF PRAYER, IT BEGAN AT 9am AND THE SECOND PERSON ON THE LIST BEGAN AT 9:30AM. THIS CHAIN CONTINUED UNTIL 5PM. THE FOLLOWING SUNDAY THE CHURCH GAVE HIM AN APPRECIATION DINNER.

DONATIONS AND GIFTS

LOTTIE MOON

SHOE BOXES CHRISTMAS

VALENTINES DAY, WE BAKED CAKES AT THE FELLOWSHIP HALL ON SATURDAY, AND DELIVERED TO THE SHUT-INS ON SUNDAY.

MOTHER'S DAY WE GAVE SCENTED CANDLES IN A CRYSTAL HOLDER WRAPPED IN TOILE AND RIBBONS.

FATHER'S DAY WE GAVE NOTE PADS, PENS, GOLD ENGRAVED BOOK MARKERS.

FUNDRAISERS

CHOOSE AND CUT BREAKFAST

FISHERMEN BREAKFAST

SOLD CANDLES

FALL FESTIVAL, SOLD CRAFTS AND FOOD

WE PURCHASED A LARGE TENT FOR THE CHURCH TO USE FOR DECORATION AND FUNDRAISERS, ETC.

WE HAD SEVERAL GUEST SPEAKERS AT OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS THIS YEAR. WE FEEL BLESSED TO HAVE SUCH AN EVENTFUL AND FUN YEAR. AND PRAY THAT NEXT YEAR WE CAN HELP MORE PEOPLE IN WHATEVER MEANS GOD SENDS US.



**MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH  
YOUTH REPORT  
2000-2001**

1. The youth purchased new chairs and dishes for the new Fellowship Hall.
2. They participated in the Heritage Fall Festival.
3. Sent flowers for sickness and deaths to 11 families.
4. Helped with a Thanksgiving meal for the community on the Sunday after Thanksgiving.
5. Participated in Choose and Cut Day with the WMU as a fundraiser for both groups.
6. The pre-school and primary classes performed in Christmas plays, while the older children and adults presented the play, "While Angels Watched."
7. The youth prepared shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse.
8. Provided pizzas for one of the play practices.
9. Gave \$400.00 to 4 different families for sickness, car accident victim, home burned down, and money for travel expenses to the hospital.
10. They gave \$30.00 to the Lottie Moon Fund.
11. Purchase leaves for the Dedication Tree in the Fellowship Hall at a cost of \$348.75.
12. In March, we assisted Kristen Hines with her Senior Project. She had a spaghetti supper with all of the profit going to St. Jude's Children's Hospital. We also donated and helped her collect teddy bears to donate to the children at this hospital.

13. We sponsored a bowling party in February for all the youth.
14. Gave Everette Shaw, our pastor, \$50.00 for his birthday.
15. Held a skating party in April.
16. A breakfast fundraiser was held in April with the WMU.
17. In May a cookout was held at Deer Creek Golf Park to honor our three high school graduates; Amanda Miles, Kristen Hines, and Denver Cockerham. They were each given a \$25.00 gift certificate to WalMart.
18. We gave carnations to our mothers on Mother's Day.
19. Our fathers received bookmarks on Father's Day.
20. Our youth attended Bible School in July.
21. Youth sang at Sparta Elementary to assist Sheila Andrews with her senior project which was a fundraiser for Multiple Sclerosis

Respectfully Submitted,  
Brenda Blevins, Assistant Director

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## NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions, and missions endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

During 2000, the Foundation provided assistance to individuals in establishing 30 endowment funds and 18 charitable remainder trusts totaling \$1.9 million and received \$3.6 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for 164 churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over \$4.6 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes. With \$10.1 million in contributions, it was the best year ever eclipsing the previous high of \$9.3 million recorded in 1999.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney to help select top money managers and evaluate performance. As of December 31, 2000, the Foundation held \$97.4 million under management. This is an increase of more than \$4.1 million over 1999.

The Foundation also experienced a record year in distributions in 2000. The previous high in distributions was 1999, \$5.3 million distributed to charity and individuals. In the year 2000, our distribution totaled 9.1 million dollars, with charity receiving \$6.7 million and individuals, through trusts, receiving \$2.4 million. During the 81-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., \$18.5 million has been distributed to individuals and \$32.4 million to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of \$47.1 million.

Nancy Hunter, Chair, Board of Directors

M. Clay Warf, Executive Director

### The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, INC.

#### 2000 Distributions

|                                         |                                   |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Baptist Retirement Homes (7.89%)</b> | <b>Individuals (26.37%)</b>       |
| <b>Baptist Children's Homes (1.60%)</b> | <b>Churches (24.77%)</b>          |
| <b>Baptist Hospitals (0.33%)</b>        | <b>Convention (18.80%)</b>        |
| <b>Christian Education (11.39%)</b>     | <b>Missions (1.77%)</b>           |
| <b>Associations (2.09%)</b>             | <b>Annuity Board (0.36%)</b>      |
| <b>Student Loans (0.77%)</b>            | <b>Other (2.83%)</b>              |
| <b>Biblical Recorder (0.17%)</b>        | <b>Baptist Foundation (0.86%)</b> |

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## **OSBORNE MEMORIAL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH HIGHLIGHTS**

Osborne Memorial has had five saved and four baptized since the 1999 annual meeting.

Osborne Memorial participated in the associational revival. The church continues to provide our association with our moderator, Bob Richardson. The Thursday Night Bible Study continues to go well. The JESUS Video was shown at a Thursday Night Bible Study. The church held a benefit supper and gospel singing to help Glenn Somers with medical bills. The church started a building fund.

Osborne Memorial joined Laurel Springs Baptist Church for a good New Year's Eve Watchnight Service.

The church mourned the death of fellow member and Deacon, Bays E. Parsons early in February.

Osborne Memorial Baptist Church held a very successful Bible School. Around 35 individuals attended each night. A picnic was held on Saturday night. 3 precious individuals gave their heart to Jesus, and 2 of these were baptized on Sunday, August 6th. Another picnic followed the baptism.

The Benally's, our missionaries to the Navajo Indians from New Mexico, visited in July and performed the Sunday service.



## ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S REPORT 08/31/00 -08/31/01

Balance as of 08/31/00 \$5,074.80

### RECEIPTS

|             |                                     |          |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 09/05/00    | Mount Carmel (Annuals)              | 120.00   |
| 09/05/00    | Bellview                            | 141.96   |
| 08/30/00    | Interest                            | 3.64     |
| 07/30/00    | Interest                            | 3.83     |
| 08/01/00    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 09/01/00    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 09/09/00    | A.B.A. #642 (Honorium Returned)     | 50.00    |
| 09/28/00    | Interest                            | 3.44     |
| ___/___/___ | Skyline Capital Credit              | 15.20    |
| 10/01/00    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 10/15/00    | Youth Account Deposit               | 615.11   |
| 10/18/00    | Liberty                             | 1,000.00 |
| 10/20/00    | Osborne Memorial                    | 200.00   |
| 10/30/00    | Interest                            | 4.00     |
| 11/01/00    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 10/03/00    | Bellview                            | 225.70   |
| 11/13/00    | Bellview                            | 212.61   |
| 11/08/00    | Laurel Springs (Reimburse Ballgame) | 99.00    |
| 11-29-00    | Interest                            | 4.17     |
| 12/01/00    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 12/06/00    | Laurel Springs                      | 800.00   |
| 12/20/00    | Bellview                            | 218.49   |
| 12/26/00    | Interest                            | 4.26     |
| 01/04/01    | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00   |
| 01/08/01    | Bellview                            | 190.28   |



## RECEIPTS

|          |                                     |        |
|----------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| 01/22/01 | Osborne Memorial                    | 200.00 |
| 01/30/01 | Interest                            | 4.76   |
|          | BSC of NC (State Missions Offering) | 37.33  |
| 02/01/01 | Mount Carmel                        | 150.00 |
| 02/01/01 | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00 |
| 02/04/01 | Bellview                            | 233.97 |
| 02/29/01 | Interest                            | 3.98   |
| 03/01/01 | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00 |
| 03/10/01 | Bellview                            | 229.91 |
| 03/26/01 | Mount Carmel                        | 150.00 |
| 03/29/01 | Interest                            | 4.10   |
| 04/01/01 | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00 |
| 04/17/01 | Bellview                            | 228.16 |
| 04/20/01 | Osborne Memorial                    | 200.00 |
| 04/29/01 | Interest                            | 3.84   |
| 05/01/01 | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00 |
| 05/03/01 | Bellview                            | 285.49 |
| 05/30/01 | Interest                            | 3.17   |
| 06/01/01 | Baptist State Convention of NC      | 100.00 |
| 06/12/01 | Bellview                            | 212.60 |
| 07/08/01 | Bellview                            | 250.77 |
| 06/28/01 | Interest                            | 2.01   |
| 07/24/01 | Bill & Dorothy Shaw                 | 100.00 |
| 08/01/01 | Bellview                            | 222.18 |
| 07/30/01 | Interest                            | 2.05   |

**TOTAL RECEIPTS****\$ 7536.01**

## DISBURSEMENTS

|          |                                                   |        |
|----------|---------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 09/09/00 | #642 Bobby Stafford (Honorium)                    | 50.00  |
| 09/11/00 | #643 Skyline Telephone                            | 27.50  |
| 09/14/00 | #644 Annuity Board of the SBC                     | 20.00  |
| 09/20/00 | #645 T.R. Wagner<br>(257.05 Salary, 43.56 Misc.)  | 300.61 |
| 09/21/00 | #646 Glenn Somers (Missions)                      | 200.00 |
| 10/16/00 | #647 Skyline Telephone                            | 30.64  |
| 10/16/00 | #648 Annuity Board of the SBC                     | 20.00  |
| 10/18/00 | #649 Bruce Wood<br>(240 Miles @ 30 Cents/Mile)    | 72.00  |
| 10/18/00 | #650 IRS - Third Quarter                          | 157.60 |
| 10/20/00 | #651 VOID                                         |        |
| 10/20/00 | #652 Ross Wagner<br>(120.05 Sept, Oct Salary)     | 497.15 |
| 10/28/00 | #653 Baptist Men                                  | 99.00  |
| 11/02/00 | #654 Skyline Telephone                            | 34.26  |
| 11/12/00 | #655 Annuity Board of the SBC                     | 20.00  |
| 11/20/00 | #656 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                         | 377.10 |
| 12/06/00 | #657 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                         | 174.06 |
| 12/11/00 | #658 Skyline Telephone                            | 27.87  |
| 12/20/00 | #659 American Bible Society (NTs)                 | 218.90 |
| 12/20/00 | #660 Annuity Board of the SBC                     | 20.00  |
| 12/20/00 | #661 T.R. Wagner<br>(377.10 Salary, 53.16 Treats) | 430.26 |
| 12/20/00 | #662 Cora's Charities                             | 100.00 |
| 01/17/01 | #663 Skyline Telephone                            | 27.57  |
| 01/17/01 | #664 Annuity Board of the SBC                     | 20.00  |
|          | #665 Excel (Long Distance)                        | 10.00  |

## DISBURSEMENTS

|          |                                     |        |
|----------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| 01/20/01 | #666 T.R. Wagner ( Salary)          | 377.10 |
| 01/25/01 | #667 T.R. Wagner                    |        |
|          | (Travel 220 miles at \$.30)         | 66.60  |
| 01/29/01 | #668 IRS - Fourth Quarter           | 197.40 |
| 02/12/01 | #669 Postal Service (P.O. Box Rent) | 32.00  |
| 02/12/01 | #670 Skyline Telephone              | 27.38  |
| 02/20/01 | #671 T.R. Wagner                    |        |
|          | (377.10 Salary, 32.84 Office)       | 409.94 |
| 02/20/01 | #672 Annuity Board of the SBC       | 20.00  |
| 03/11/01 | #673 Skyline Telephone              | 29.19  |
| 03/23/01 | #674 Sandra Myers (Youth - Pizza)   | 89.00  |
| 03/29/01 | #675 Wilma Foster (Discipleship)    | 105.95 |
| 03/29/01 | \$676 T.R. Wagner                   |        |
|          | (377.10 Salary, 89.89 Disciple)     | 466.99 |
| 03/29/01 | #677 Annuity Board of the SBC       | 20.00  |
| 04/03/01 | #678 U.S. Postal Service            | 13.60  |
| 04/08/01 | #679 Skyline Telephone              | 27.75  |
| 04/09/01 | #680 Surry-Yadkin Electric          |        |
|          | (Missions)                          | 100.00 |
| 04/09/01 | #681 Esther Abbas (Missions)        | 25.00  |
| 04/17/01 | #682 Annuity Board of the SBC       | 20.00  |
| 04/17/01 | #683 IRS - First Quarter            | 197.40 |
| 04/18/01 | #684 T.R. Wagner                    | 538.50 |
|          | (Salary 377.10, Mileage 141.00,     |        |
|          | Postage 20.40)                      |        |
| 04/24/01 | (A. W.) Checkbook Deposit Slips     | 41.55  |
| 04/27/01 | #685 Food Lion (Youth - BCH Picnic) | 175.84 |

## DISBURSEMENTS

|                            |      |                                   |                   |
|----------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 05/09/01                   | #686 | Tina Blevins (Youth - BCH Picnic) | 42.73             |
| 05/20/01                   | #687 | Skyline Telephone                 | 30.31             |
| 05/20/01                   | #688 | Excel (Long Distance)             | 8.30              |
| 05/20/01                   | #689 | Annuity Board of the SBC          | 20.00             |
| 05/20/01                   | #690 | Wagner                            | 388.10            |
|                            |      | (Salary 377.10, Postage 11.00)    |                   |
| 06/12/01                   | #691 | Skyline Telephone                 | 27.63             |
| 06/20/01                   | #692 | T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 377.10            |
| 06/22/01                   | #693 | Annuity Board of the SBC          | 20.00             |
| 07/13/01                   | #694 | Copy Express (200 Minutes)        | 349.80            |
| 07/17/01                   | #695 | Annuity Board of the SBC          | 20.00             |
| 07/20/01                   | #696 | T.R. Wagner                       | 487.10            |
|                            |      | ( Salary 377.10,Mileage 110.00)   |                   |
| 07/24/01                   | #697 | IRS - Second Quarter              | 197.40            |
|                            |      | (A. W.) Checkbook (Checks)        | 48.50             |
| 08/01/01                   | #699 | Skyline Telephone                 | 57.29             |
| 06/20/01                   | #698 | T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 377.10            |
|                            |      | Bank Error                        | 329.91            |
| <b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b> |      |                                   | <b>\$8,696.01</b> |

## 2000-2001 RECEIPTS by Source

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|                                           |                   |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Bellview                                  | \$2,652.12        |
| Laurel Springs                            | \$ 800.00         |
| Liberty                                   | \$1,000.00        |
| Mt. Carmel                                | \$ 420.00         |
| Osborne Memorial                          | \$ 600.00         |
| Baptist State Convention                  | \$1,137.33        |
| Skyline Telephone                         | \$ 15.20          |
| Youth                                     | \$ 615.11         |
| Shaw                                      | \$ 100.00         |
| Honorium Returned                         | \$ 50.00          |
| Baptist Men Football (Reimbursed by LSBC) | \$ 99.00          |
| Interest                                  | \$ 47.25          |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>                     | <b>\$7,536.01</b> |

## DISBURSEMENTS by Budget Item

|                                            | 2000-2001<br>Budget | 2000-2001<br>Disbursements |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| DOM Salary(BSC of NC)                      | \$1,200.00          | \$1,000.00                 |
| DOM Salary(ABA)                            | \$3,960.00          | \$3,917.06                 |
| Social Security Taxes                      | \$ 394.74           | \$ 374.90                  |
| Utilities (Telephone)                      | \$ 450.00           | \$ 365.69                  |
| Travel & Seminars<br>(DOM & General Board) | \$ 600.00           | \$ 389.60                  |
| Evangelism Training                        | \$ 300.00           | \$ 0                       |
| Church Training                            | \$ 200.00           | \$ 195.84                  |
| Youth Committee                            | \$ 400.00           | \$ 307.57                  |
| WMU                                        | \$ 200.00           | \$ 0                       |
| Printing Minutes                           | \$ 400.00           | \$ 349.80                  |
| Baptist Men<br>(Football-LSBC)             | \$ 0                | \$ 99.00                   |
| Honorium                                   | \$ 0                | \$ 50.00                   |
| Missions (Special)                         | \$1,000.00          | \$ 697.06                  |
| Operating Expense                          | \$ <u>400.00</u>    | \$ <u>243.45</u>           |
| TOTAL                                      | \$9,504.74          | \$7,989.97                 |



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

We had five good Vacation Bible Schools. We had good attendance at each Bible School. Two people attended the Brushy Mountain Association VBS Clinic, and one person attended the Surry Association VBS Clinic. Bellview's theme was *Jesus to the Rescue*. *F.R.O.G.S. Club* was Mount Carmel's theme. Laurel Springs used *Truth Trackers* VBS. Liberty did *Adventures of Jesus*. Osborne Memorial focused on *Bible Heroes*.

Two churches used the association's *Adventure Zone* reusable VBS kits. The *Adventures of Jesus*, *Adventures of Paul*, and *Bible Heroes* kits are available for future use.

The 2001 Vacation Bible School enrollments are:

|                  |    |
|------------------|----|
| Bellview         | 94 |
| Laurel Springs   | 59 |
| Liberty          | 34 |
| Mount Carmel     | 85 |
| Osborne Memorial | 40 |

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

| TIME                | Church           | MODERATOR       | CLERK          | PREACHER        | Chmn.Ex        |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. 1886, Sep. 24-25 | Buffalo          | T. M. Honeycutt | H. A. Eller    | I. G. W. Greene | James Eller    |
| 2. 1887, Sep. 22-24 | New Hope         | T. M. Honeycutt | H. A. Eller    | S. M. Collins   | James Eller    |
| 3. 1888, Sep. 6-8   | Apple Grove      | T. M. Honeycutt | H. A. Eller    | T. M. Honeycutt | James Eller    |
| 4. 1889, Sep. 12-14 | Landmark         | W. C. Fields    | H. A. Eller    | T. M. Duncan    | James Eller    |
| 5. 1890, Sep. 18-20 | Jefferson        | W. C. Fields    | H. A. Eller    | J. F. Fletcher  | James Eller    |
| 6. 1891, Sep. 17-19 | Sparta           | W. C. Fields    | H. A. Eller    | F. B. Cheek     | James Eller    |
| 7. 1892, Sep. 15-17 | Bethel           | W. C. Fields    | H. A. Eller    | D. J. Harris    | James Eller    |
| 8. 1893, Sep. 14-16 | Apple Grove      | T. M. Duncan    | H. A. Eller    | W. H. Glenn     | James Eller    |
| 9. 1894, Sep. 13-15 | Healing Springs  | W. C. Fields    | H. A. Eller    | E. Tucker       | James Eller    |
| 10. 1895 Oct. 3-5   | Liberty          | J. H. Doughton  | R. L. Shoaf    | T. M. Duncan    | James Eller    |
| 11. 1896 Oct. 1-3   | Brushy Fork      | J. H. Doughton  | H. A. Eller    | E. Blevins      | J. H. Doughton |
| 12. 1897 Sep. 28-30 | Forest Home      | J. H. Doughton  | H. A. Eller    | E. F. Tatum     | H. A. Eller    |
| 1. 1897, Nov. 5     | Sparta           | J. H. Doughton  | J. M. Wagoner  | E. Tucker       | J. H. Doughton |
| 2. 1898, Oct. 7-9   | Brush Crk. (Va.) | L. D. Vaughan   | J. M. Wagoner  | F. B. Cheek     | T. R. Windsor  |
| 3. 1899, Sep. 7-9   | Laurel Springs   | L. D. Vaughan   | W. F. Doughton | R. K. Johnson   | R. L. Doughton |
| 4. 1900, Sep. 6-8   | New Hope         | W. C. Fields    | W. F. Doughton | James Shumate   | R. L. Doughton |
| 5. 1901, Sep. 5-7   | Pine Fork        | W. C. Fields    | W. F. Doughton | C. M. Rock      | R. L. Doughton |
| 6. 1902, Sep. 11-13 | Sparta           | L. D. Vaughan   | W. F. Doughton | L. D. Vaughan   | R. L. Doughton |
| 7. 1903, Sep. 10-12 | Liberty          | J. H. Doughton  | T. R. Windsor  | J. W. Burchett  | R. L. Doughton |

|                      |                   |               |                  |                  |                 |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 8. 1904, Sep. 8-10   | Brush Crk. (Va.)  | E. Blevins    | I W.M. Wagoner   | I F.B. Cheek     | I J.F. Cheek    |
| 9. 1905, Sep. 7-9    | Laurel Springs    | E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I L.M. Holloway  | I W.C. Fields   |
| 10. 1906, Sep. 7-9   | New Hope          | E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I E. Blevins     | I R.L. Doughton |
| 11. 1907, Sep. 6-8   | Pine Fork         | E. Blevins    | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 12. 1908, Sep. 10-12 | Pleasant G. (Va.) | J.F. Fletcher | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 13. 1909, Sep. 10-12 | Liberty           | R.L. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I R.L. Doughton |
| 14. 1910, Sep. 9-11  | Laurel Springs    | W.L. Hoppers  | I H.C. Edwards   | I W.L. Hoppers   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 15. 1911, Sep. 8-10  | New Hope          | W.F. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I D.S. Hubble    | I R.L. Doughton |
| 16. 1912, Sep. 6-8   | Bellview          | B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 17. 1913, Sep. 12-14 | Chestnut Grove    | B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Jno. E. Ray    | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 18. 1914, Sep. 11-13 | Pine Fork         | B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I                | I W.F. Doughton |
| 19. 1915, Sep. 10-12 | Liberty           | B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I L.B. Murray    | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 20. 1916, Sep. 8-10  | Mt. Carmel        | B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I C.M. Cope      | I G.T. Caudill  |
| 21. 1917, Sep. 7-9   | Laurel Springs    | B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I G.M. Reeves    | I W.F. Doughton |
| 22. 1918, Sep. 6-8   | New Hope          | B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I S.L. Blevins   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 23. 1919, Sep. 12-13 | Bellview          | B.E. Reeves   | I J.F. Roberts   | I W.A. Hash      | I R.L. Doughton |
| 24. 1920, Sep. 10-12 | Chestnut Ridge    | S.L. Blevins  | I W.F. Jones     | I Coy Blackburn  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 25. 1921, Sep. 9-11  | Pine Fork         | John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I W.L. Hoppers   | I John M. Cheek |
| 26. 1922, Sep. 8-10  | Liberty           | John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I C.E. Maddry    | I John M. Cheek |
| 27. 1923, Sep. 7-9   | Mt. Carmel        | John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I A. Lamonds     | I John M. Cheek |
| 28. 1924, Sep. 12-14 | Sparta            | John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 29. 1925, Sep. 11-13 | Laurel Springs    | John M. Cheek | I N.C. Teague    | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 30. 1926, Sep. 10-12 | New Hope          | John M. Cheek | I W.B. Reeves    | I N.C. Teague    | I John M. Cheek |
| 31. 1927, Sep. 9-11  | Bellview          | W. Franklin   | I W.F. Jones     | I W. Franklin    | I J.T. Fender   |
| 32. 1928, Sep. 7-9   | Liberty           | W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I J.M. Page      | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 33. 1929, Sep. 6-8   | Mt. Carmel        | W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I A. Hayes       | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 34. 1930, Sep. 12-14 | Sparta            | W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I E. Whisenhunt  | I R.A. Wagoner  |

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| TIME                | Church           | MODERATOR     | CLERK           | PREACHER         | Chmn.Ex       |
|---------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|
| 35.1931, Sep. 11-13 | Laurel Springs   | W.F. Doughton | J.L. Underwood  | J.L. Underwood   | M.E. Reeves   |
| 36.1932, Sep. 9-11  | New Hope         | W.F. Doughton | J.L. Underwood  | T.M. Hayes       | M.E. Reeves   |
| 37.1933, Sep. 8-10  | Bellview         | W.F. Doughton | J.T. Fender     | C.H. McKnight    | John M. Cheek |
| 38.1934, Sep. 7-9   | Liberty          | J.K. Blum     | J.T. Fender     | G.A. Martin      | T.R. Burgiss  |
| 39.1935, Sep. 6-8   | Mt. Carmel       | J.K. Blum     | J.T. Fender     | S.L. Blevins     | F.W. Royal    |
| 40.1936, Sep. 12-14 | Scottville       | F.W. Royall   | J.T. Fender     | S.L. Naff        | A.O. Joines   |
| 41.1937, Sep. 10-12 | Pine Fork        | F.W. Royall   | J.T. Fedner     | C.H. McKnight    | A.O. Joines   |
| 42.1938, Sep. 9-11  | Sparta           | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | H.J. Ford        | John M. Cheek |
| 43.1939, Sep. 8-10  | Chestnut Grove   | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | J.M. Hayes       | John M. Cheek |
| 44.1940, Sep. 6-8   | Laurel Springs   | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | S.L. Blevins     | John M. Cheek |
| 45.1941, Sep. 12-14 | New Hope         | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | A.C. Ashley      | John M. Cheek |
| 46.1942, Sep. 12-13 | Bellview         | F.W. Royall   | Van Miller      | N.M. Greene      | W.F. Doughton |
| 47.1943, Sep. 11-12 | Sparta           | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | W.T. Whittington | W.F. Doughton |
| 48.1944, Sep. 9-10  | Mt. Carmel       | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | R.H. Satterfield | W.F. Doughton |
| 49.1945, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | E.B. Barton      | W.F. Doughton |
| 50.1946, Sep. 7-8   | Osborne Memorial | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | W.H. Caldwell    | W.F. Doughton |
| 51.1947, Sep. 13-14 | Scottville       | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | C Gwaltney       | W.F. Doughton |
| 52.1948, Sep. 11-12 | Pine Fork        | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | S.L. Blevins     | W.F. Doughton |
| 53.1949, Sep. 10-11 | Laurel Springs   | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | J.G. Goodman     | W.F. Doughton |
| 54.1950, Sep. 9-10  | New River        | Van F. Miller | W.K. Sprinkle   | F.G. Walker      | W.F. Doughton |
| 55.1951, Sep. 8-9   | New Hope         | Van F. Miller | J.B. Reed       | Fred Blevins     | Van F. Miller |
| 56.1952, Sep. 13-14 | Chestnut Grove   | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | E.V. Bumgarner   | W.F. Doughton |
| 57.1953, Sep. 12-13 | Bellview         | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | H.J. Ford        | W.F. Doughton |



|                      |                    |                   |                     |                    |                   |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 58. 1954, Sep. 11-12 | I Sparta           | I Van F. Miller   | I George Shepherd   | I C.H. McKnight    | I A.O. Jones      |
| 59. 1955, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Van F. Miller   | I George Shepherd   | I R.R. Campbell    | I A.O. Jones      |
| 60. 1956, Sep. 8-9   | I Liberty          | I Van F. Miller   | I George Shepherd   | I Audley Frazier   | I A.O. Jones      |
| 61. 1957, Sep. 7-8   | I Osborne Memorial | I Van F. Miller   | I George Shepherd   | I C.H. McKnight    | I A.O. Jones      |
| 62. 1958, Sep. 7-8   | I Scottville       | I E.C. Minnich    | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Earnest Upchurch | I A.O. Jones      |
| 63. 1959, Sep. 11-12 | I Pine Fork        | I Jack W. Byrd    | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Guy W. Cain      | I Van F. Miller   |
| 64. 1960, Sep. 9-10  | I Laurel Springs   | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Guy W. Cain      | I Van F. Miller   |
| 65. 1961, Sep. 8-9   | I New River        | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. A.E. Sells   | I A.E. Sells       | I Rev. Jack Byrd  |
| 66. 1962, Sep. 7-8   | I New Hope         | I Van Miller      | I Donna Jones       | I Cleo Whitney     | I Jack W. Byrd    |
| 67. 1963, Sep. 6-7   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Bobby Elledge    | I Ben Reeves      |
| 68. 1964, Sep. 11-12 | I Sparta           | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Jack W. Byrd     | I Ben Reeves      |
| 69. 1965, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Lewis Williams  | I Donna Jones       | I James Durham     | I Van F. Miller   |
| 70. 1966, Sep. 8-9   | I Liberty          | I Bobby Elledge   | I Donna Jones       | I Jack Richardson  | I Van F. Miller   |
| 71. 1967, Sep. 9-10  | I Osborne Memorial | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Everett Shaw     | I J.K. Blum       |
| 72. 1968, Sep. 6-7   | I Scottville       | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Austol Youmans   | I J.K. Blum       |
| 73. 1969, Sep. 12-13 | I Pine Fork        | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I J.T. Pardue      | I J.K. Blum       |
| 74. 1970, Sep. 11-12 | I Laurel Springs   | I J.K. Blum       | I Irene R. Wagner   | I Bobby Elledge    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 75. 1971, Sep. 10-11 | I New River        | I Claude Roupe    | I Jimmy L. Warden   | I Michael Sepaugh  | I Claude Roupe    |
| 76. 1972, Sep. 8-9   | I Belview          | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 77. 1973, Sep. 7-8   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I Micheal Secaugh  | I Claude Roupe    |
| 78. 1974, Sep. 6-7   | I New Hope         | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 79. 1975, Sep. 12-13 | I Sparta           | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I James Lambert    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 80. 1976, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Jimmy Warden     | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 81. 1977, Sep. 9-10  | I Liberty          | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Bill Ballou      | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 82. 1978, Sep. 8-9   | I Osborne Memorial | I Mac Warren      | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Dwight Leftwich  | I Mac Warren      |
| 83. 1979, Sep. 7-8   | I Pine Fork        | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Glenn Graves     | I Thomas Neville  |
| 84. 1980, Sep. 12-13 | I Laurel Springs   | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Gene Webb        | I Thomas Neville  |

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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| TIME                  | Church           | MODERATOR      | CLERK              | PREACHER            | Chmn.Ex        |
|-----------------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 85. 1981, Sep. 11-12  | New Hope         | Thomas Neville | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Glenn Graves        | Thomas Neville |
| 86. 1982, Sep. 10-11  | Belview          | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Howard J. Ford  | Glenn Graves   |
| 87. 1983, Sep. 9-10   | Sparta           | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Tom Graves      | Glenn Graves   |
| 88. 1984, Sep. 7-8    | Mount Carmel     | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Jim Lambert         | Glenn Graves   |
| 89. 1985, Sep. 13-14  | Osborne Memorial | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Roy J. Smith    | Glenn Graves   |
| 90. 1986, Sep. 12-13  | Liberty          | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bill Ballou    | Glenn Graves   |
| 91. 1987, Sep. 11-12  | Chestnut Grove   | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Tom Lolley     | Bob Richardson |
| 92. 1988, Sep. 10-11  | Pine Fork        | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bill Ballou    | Bob Richardson |
| 93. 1989, Sep. 8-9    | Laurel Springs   | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bobby Elledge  | Bob Richardson |
| 94. 1990, Sep. 14-15  | New Hope         | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Larry Atwood   | Bob Richardson |
| 95. 1991, Sep. 13-14  | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Johnny Huffman | Bob Richardson |
| 96. 1992, Sep. 11-12  | Sparta           | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Jack Byrd      | Bob Richardson |
| 97. 1993, Sep. 10-11  | Osborne Memorial | Bob Richardson | David Finney       | Rev. Jimmy Warden   | Bob Richardson |
| 98. 1994, Sep. 9-10   | Mount Carmel     | Bob Richardson | Karen Sealey       | Rev. Russel Mabe    | Bob Richardson |
| 99. 1995, Sep. 8-9    | Liberty          | Bob Richardson | Karen Sealey       | Rev. Bill Yates     | Bob Richardson |
| 100. 1996, Sep. 13-14 | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Barbara Richardson | Rev. Dean Adams     | Bob Richardson |
| 101. 1997, Sep. 12-13 | Laurel Springs   | Bob Richardson |                    | Rev. Billy Felts    | Bob Richardson |
| 102. 1998, Sep. 11-12 | Osborne Memorial | Bob Richardson |                    | Rev. Russel Mabe    | Bob Richardson |
| 103. 1999, Sep. 10-11 | Mount Carmel     | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Everett Shaw   | Bob Richardson |
| 103. 2000, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Ralph Smith    | Bob Richardson |
| 104. 2001, Sep. 7-8   | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Billy Felts    | Bob Richardson |



## Table A-MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Director of Associational Missions-

Mr. Ross Wagner

5839 Pine Swamp Rd.

Sparta NC 28675

## CHURCHES

## PASTORS &amp;

## ADDRESSES

Bellview

Rev. Billy Felts

2635 Windy Ridge Road

N. Wilkesboro NC 28659

Laurel Spings

Rev. Dana Hines

284 Monteith Acres Road

Hays NC 28635-8054

Liberty

Rev. Ralph Smith

376 Clay Bank Road

West Jefferson NC 28694

Mount Carmel

Rev. Everette R. Shaw

783 Shawtown Road

Glade Valley NC 28627

Osborne Memorial

Rev. Russell Mabe

152 Holder Street

Hays NC 28635

## TOTALS

Resident Membership

Total Membership

Other Additions

Total Baptisms

AM Worship  
Service Attendance

Year Pastor Came

Year Organized

County

|           |      |      |     |   |    |     |     |
|-----------|------|------|-----|---|----|-----|-----|
| Alleghany | 1896 | 1997 | 70  | 1 | 12 | 113 | 77  |
| Alleghany | 1891 | 1993 | 51  | 1 | 2  | 73  | 44  |
| Alleghany | 1886 | 1972 | 62  | 1 | 0  | 83  | 69  |
| Alleghany | 1884 | 1952 | 53  | 0 | 2  | 205 | 191 |
| Alleghany | 1943 | 1988 | 45  | 4 | 8  | 100 | 80  |
|           |      |      | 281 | 7 | 24 | 574 | 461 |



| Table C- DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING |       |                                     |                                   |                               |                             |                             |                     |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|--|--|
|                                | Total | Ongoing<br>Discipleship<br>Training | Ongoing<br>Preschool<br>Birth - 5 | Ongoing<br>Children<br>6 - 11 | Ongoing<br>Youth<br>12 - 17 | Ongoing<br>Adult<br>18 & Up | General<br>Officers |  |  |
| Bellview                       |       |                                     |                                   |                               |                             |                             |                     |  |  |
| Laurel Spings                  |       |                                     |                                   |                               |                             |                             |                     |  |  |
| Liberty                        |       |                                     |                                   |                               |                             |                             |                     |  |  |
| Mount Carmel                   | 12    |                                     |                                   |                               |                             | 10                          | 2                   |  |  |
| Osborne Memorial               | 40    |                                     | 2                                 | 8                             | 5                           | 25                          |                     |  |  |
| TOTALS                         | 52    |                                     | 2                                 | 8                             | 5                           | 35                          | 2                   |  |  |

**Table D - MUSIC MINISTRY**

| CHURCHES                     | Music Directors            | Total      |          |            |           |           |           |       | Other |        |              |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|
|                              |                            | Music      | Ministry | Enrollment | Birth - 5 | 6 - 11    | 12 - 17   | Youth | Adult | Choirs | Music Groups |
| Associational Music Director |                            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| Mr. William "Buster" Story   |                            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| 63 Summer Circle             |                            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| Laurel Springs 29644         |                            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <hr/>                        |                            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>Bellview</b>              | <b>Mrs. Amanda Miller</b>  | <b>34</b>  | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b>   | <b>22</b> | <b>9</b>  | <b>0</b>  |       |       |        |              |
|                              | 420 Mountain Valley Road   |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | Laurel Springs NC 28644    |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>Laurel Springs</b>        | <b>Mr. Buster Story</b>    | <b>24</b>  |          | <b>2</b>   | <b>6</b>  | <b>3</b>  | <b>10</b> |       |       |        |              |
|                              | 63 Summer Circle           |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | Laurel Springs 29644       |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>Liberty</b>               | <b>Mr. Walton Joines</b>   |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | 2432 Pine Swamp Road       |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | Sparta NC 28675            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>Mount Carmel</b>          | <b>Mr. Bruce Wood</b>      | <b>18</b>  |          |            | <b>18</b> |           | <b>7</b>  |       |       |        |              |
|                              | P O Box 1506               |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | Sparta NC 28675            |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>Osborne Memorial</b>      | <b>Nancy Shepherd</b>      | <b>25</b>  | <b>2</b> | <b>8</b>   | <b>15</b> |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | 291 Piney Creek School Rd. |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
|                              | Piney Creek NC 28663       |            |          |            |           |           |           |       |       |        |              |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                |                            | <b>101</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>13</b>  | <b>61</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>17</b> |       |       |        |              |

| Table E -WOMAN'S MISSIONARY<br>UNION INFORMATION |                                                                    | WMU<br>Leadership<br>Team | Ages 18<br>& Over | WMU Total<br>Enrollment |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| CHURCHES                                         | WMU DIRECTORS &<br>ADDRESSES                                       |                           |                   |                         |
| Bellview                                         |                                                                    |                           |                   |                         |
| Laurel Spings                                    | Mrs. Wilma Foster<br>5783 Pine Swamp Road<br>Sparta NC 28675       | 16                        | 16                | 3                       |
| Liberty                                          | Mrs. Irene Wagner<br>5839 Pine Swamp Road<br>Sparta NC 28675       | 1                         | 1                 | 1                       |
| Mount Carmel                                     | Mrs. Marlene M. Caudill<br>3440 Pine Swamp Road<br>Sparta NC 28675 | 23                        | 18                | 5                       |
| Osborne Memorial                                 |                                                                    |                           |                   |                         |
| TOTALS                                           |                                                                    | 40                        | 35                | 9                       |













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Allegheny  
Baptist Association  
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North Carolina

*"The North Carolina Baptist Way  
Living the Faith — Being the Church"*

**One Hundred and Sixth Annual Session**

**Held With**

**Laurel Springs Baptist Church**

**September 6 and 7, 2002**

**Next Session to be held with**

**Osborne Memorial Baptist Church**

**September 5 and 6, 2003**

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**Preacher:**

**Rev. Russell Mabe**

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**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
THE ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ANNUAL SESSION  
(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)**

**SEPTEMBER 6 AND 7, 2002  
PARTNERS IN THE HARVEST**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

7:15	Musical Prelude	Wilma Foster
7:30	Hymn # 503	<i>"When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder"</i>
	Welcome	Rev. Dana Hines
	Devotional	Rev. Russell Mabe

Roll Call and Seating of Messengers: Bob Richardson  
Bellview Laurel Springs Liberty  
Mt. Carmel Osborne Memorial

	Recognition of Guests	Bob Richardson
7:45	Hymn # 391	<i>"Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus"</i>
7:50	Special Music	Mount Carmel
8:00	Recognition of Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson

8:05	Special Music	Dennis Joines, Liberty
8:15	Reports Executive Board	Bob Richardson
	Treasurer	Dorothy Brooks
	Historian	Mary Rector
8:25	Hymn # 352	<i>"I Am Thine O Lord"</i>
8:30	Special Music	Osborne Memorial
8:40	Sermon	Rev. Dana Hines
	Closing Hymn of Fellowship #256	<i>"Blest be the Tie "</i>
	Benediction	Rev. Everette Shaw

**SATURDAY MORNING:**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 8:50 Musical Prelude                                 | Wilma Foster                               |
| 9:00 Devotional                                      | Rev. Roy Houser                            |
| 9:05 Hymn # 335                                      | <i>"Standing On The Promises"</i>          |
| 9:10 Welcome and Recognition<br>of Guests            | Bob Richardson                             |
| 9:15 WMU   | Wilma Foster                               |
| 9:25 Hymn # 435                                      | <i>"He Keeps Me Singing"</i>               |
| 9:30 Vacation Bible School<br>& Director of Missions | Ross Wagner                                |
| Baptist Children's Homes                             |  |
| 9:45 Special Music                                   | Laurel Springs Choir                       |
| 9:55 Hymn # 277                                      | <i>"Jesus Saves"</i>                       |
| 10:00 Baptist Retirement Homes Report                | Luther Osment                              |
| Finance (Budget) Report                              | Dorothy Brooks                             |
| Youth Report   | Gay Scott                                  |
| Miscellaneous  |  |
| 10:25 Hispanic Mission                               | Rev. Santiago Reales                       |
| Pastor, Mision Bautista Hispana de Sparta            |  |
| 10:35 Nominating Committee Report<br>and Elections   | Wilma Foster                               |
| 10:40 Hymn # 403                                     | <i>"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"</i>    |
| 10:45 Memorial Service                               | Dorothy Brooks                             |
| 10:50 Special Music                                  | Debbie Joines, Bellview                    |
| 11:00 Missions Message                               | Rev. Dennis Cherry                         |
|  | Director of Missions                       |
|  | Allegheny Association of Southern Baptists |
|  | West Virginia                              |
| Benediction and Blessing                             | Rev. Glenn Somers                          |
| Lunch  |  |

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## Nominating Committee Report

### OFFICERS 2002-2003:

Moderator	Bob Richardson, Osborne Memorial
Vice Moderator	Dana Hines, Laurel Springs
Clerk	Irene Wagner, Liberty
Treasurer	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Asst. Clerk-Treasurer	Judy Mabe, Liberty
Auditor	Vicky Bartlett, Osborne Memorial
Historian	Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial
Pianist	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Assistant Pianist	Irene Wagner, Liberty
Chorister	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Youth Director	Gay Scott, Bellview
Asst. Youth Director	Glenn Somers, Osborne Memorial
VBS Director	Ross Wagner, Liberty

### NOMINATING COMMITTEE:

Wilma Foster	Laurel Springs Chairman
Steven Joines	Bellview
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Jimmy Gillespie	Mt. Carmel
Roger Pugh	Osborne Memorial

### FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Dorothy Brooks, Chairman	Bellview
Joann Hoppers	Liberty
Jan Shaw	Mt. Carmel
Reba Osborne	Osborne Memorial
Shelia Taylor	Laurel Springs

**MUSIC COMMITTEE:**

Director	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Asst. Director	Amanda Miller, Bellview
Pianist	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Asst. Pianist	Irene Wagner, Liberty

**YOUTH & CHILDRENS HOME COMMITTEE:**

Gay Scott, Director	Bellview
Glenn Somers, Assistant Director	Osborne Memorial
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Wanda Lyons	Mt. Carmel
Sandra Myers	Laurel Springs

**MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE:  
(ADULTS ON MISSION)**

Bellview	Dorothy Brooks
Laurel Springs	Joyce Farley
Liberty	Irene Wagner
Mt. Carmel	Marlene Caudill
Osborne Memorial	Wanda Cleary

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS:**

Director	Wilma Foster
Assistant Director	Marlene Caudill
Secretary	Irene Wagner

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman

## THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED OF:

Officers Of The Association, Pastors Of Each Church,  
And The Following Representatives From Each Church:

Bellview	Leonard Church, & Linda Church
Laurel Springs	Everett Elliott & Ken Kern
Liberty	Dewey Hoppers & Irene Wagner
Mt. Carmel	Jimmy Gillespie & Robert Patrick
Osborne Memorial	Alva Farmer & Bob Richardson

## ORDINATION COMMITTEE:

Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman                      Mt. Carmel  
All Other Pastors In The Association

## MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION

BELLVIEW - Guy Brooks, Dot Brooks, and Alice Swan

LAUREL SPRINGS - Everett Elliott, Louise Loggins, and  
Wilma Foster

LIBERTY - Ross Wagner, Dewey Hoppers, and Dennis  
Joiner. (Alternates) Irene Wagner,  
Roy Houser, and Roger Mabe

MOUNT CARMEL - Robert Patrick, Jay Shaw, Marvin  
Shaw, and Everette Shaw

OSBORNE MEMORIAL - Keith Hawks, Robert Shaw,  
Mildred Shaw, and Veronica  
Espinoza. (Alternates) Ruth  
Minnich and Wayne Cleary.

## Alleghany Baptist Association 106th ANNUAL SESSION

### Proceedings

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 6, 2002

The 106th Annual Session of the Alleghany Baptist Association was convened Friday, September 6, 2002 at Laurel Springs Baptist Church following a musical prelude by Wilma R. Foster.

Following the singing of *"When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder,"* host pastor, Rev. Dana Hines gave the welcome. Rev. Russell Mabe gave the devotional.

Bob Richardson, Moderator, did the roll call and seating of messengers.

Rev. Dennis Cherry and son, Aaron Cherry, from the Allegheny Association of Southern Baptists in West Virginia were recognized as guests.

The congregation sang *"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus."*

Special music from the Mount Carmel Church included *"Victory in Jesus," "How Great Thou Art,"* and *"Love Lifted Me."*

Rev. Everette Shaw was given special recognition and a plaque from the association for having been pastor of Mount Carmel Baptist Church for 50 years.

Dennis Joines from Liberty Baptist Church did special music, including *"Jesus Savior, Help Me Each Day"* and *"God Sent An Angel."*



Bob Richardson presented the Executive Committee Report. Upon second of Dewey Hoppers, it was approved.

Dorothy Brooks presented the Treasurer's Report which was approved on second of Everett Elliott.

Mary Rector presented the Historian's Report which was approved.

The congregation sang *"I Am Thine, O Lord."*

Osborne Memorial Baptist Church gave special music including *"Look What I Traded for a Mansion"* and *"Time Changes Things."*

Rev. Dana Hines preached the annual sermon.

Rev. Everette Shaw gave the benediction.

## Proceedings

### SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 7, 2002

Following a musical prelude by Wilma Foster, Rev. Roy Houser, Associate Pastor of Liberty Baptist Church gave the devotional.

The congregation sang *"Standing On The Promises."*

Bob Richardson, Moderator, welcomed guests, Rev. Dennis Cherry, his son Aaron Cherry, and Luther Osment, representative of the Baptist Retirement Homes.

Wilma Foster gave the WMU Report and upon second of Everett Elliott, it was approved.

Special music by the Laurel Springs Baptist Church Choir included *"Mansion Over The Hilltop," "Because He Loved Me,"* and *"What A Day That Will Be."*

Baptist Retirement Homes Report was given by Luther Osment and upon second of Everett Elliott was approved.

Youth Committee Report was given by Glenn Somers and approved.

The proposed budget for 2002-2003 was presented by Dorothy Brooks and upon second of Roy Houser approved.

Rev. Santiago Reales, pastor of Mission Bautista Hispana de Sparta, spoke and told us about the mission.

Wilma Foster, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented proposed officers for the coming year. Upon second of Everett Elliott, it was approved.

The congregation sang *"What A Friend We Have In Jesus."*

Dorothy Brooks conducted a Memorial Service for members who had passed away. She sang *"The Lord Is My Shepherd."*

Debbie Joines from Bellview Baptist Church sang *"I Will Testify To Love"* and *"Son Go Bring My Children Home."*

Rev. Dennis Cherry delivered a sermon combined with information about opportunities for service in the Allegheny Association of West Virginia.

Rev. Glenn Somers gave the benediction and blessing for the noon meal.

## LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

On July 24, 1891 Laurel Springs Baptist Church was organized by Revs. J.D. Harris and Frank B. Cheek.

Thirty pastors have served to date, including current pastor, Rev. Dana Hines, who accepted pastorate position January, 1993. Twenty-four deacons have served including Stacy Davis, Dan Taylor, Everett Elliott, and Ken Kern, who were ordained after 1991. We have been saddened by the loss of two deacons by death, Elizabeth Moxley 1999 and Robert Myers 2002, who were both ordained in 1981 and served faithfully.

An addition to the church was dedicated to the service of our Lord on May 16, 1999. This included a large fellowship hall with kitchen facilities and four Sunday School rooms. We celebrated with thankfulness the Lord's blessings with a note-burning service on August 27, 2000 and declared the new addition, furnishings, and improvements to the original church building debt-free.

Outside improvements consisted of a new entrance door with handicap ramp, improved landscaping, vinyl siding on the steeple and eaves, lattice wall around entrance to outside furnace room steps, replaced double doors at outside entrance to the sanctuary, as well as the digging of a new well. Improvements to the sanctuary included extending the rostrum to make a choir loft and removing a vertical support column to give more seating space and clearer view of the pulpit area. Chairs for the areas at the side and the back of the sanctuary were

donated by members of the church as memorials to loved ones and brass plaques were placed on each chair. A loaning library with books, pamphlets, and videos has been established. A sound system, central air conditioning, and new piano were also added.

Vacation Bible School has continued annually since being re-established in 1996 sharing the love of God with children and adults.

Laurel Springs Baptist Church continues annual support through money and prayers to four missionaries:

Mary Carr, Graffitti, New York, New York;  
Sharon and David Sexton, Lander, Wyoming;  
Laura and Lance Ostman, Philippines;  
Ruth and Howell Williams, Papua New Guinea.

They also support Foreign, Home, and State Missions through special offerings to the Baptist State Convention.

Women's Missionary Union was re-established in March 2000 after 46 years of inactivity. It was originally organized in June 30, 1930 and met until 1954. They now meet monthly with attendance from 12 to 21. They are carrying on a true mission-minded program serving the church family, the community, state and foreign missions. Regular projects include furnishing food to families in times of illness and bereavement, as well as providing other needs when they arise. The WMU is grateful to all the women of the church who willingly participate in these mission projects even though they cannot attend the regular meetings.

Revivals are held in the spring and fall, as well as participation in the Annual Associational Revival. They have continued the tradition of joint fellowship services with Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church at Christmas and on Easter Sunday. Laurel Springs Baptist Church has a joint New Year's Eve Service with Liberty and Osborne Memorial, inviting all churches to participate.

The Sunday School continues to grow and is enjoying the new classrooms.

A scholarship is given each year to church members on their high school graduation. The following have received scholarships: Kelly Myers, Stephen Hines, Katie Myers, Micha Tucker, and Heather Hines.

This is a continuation of the Laurel Springs Baptist Church history printed in the 1997 associational minutes.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Rector, Historian



## Moderator's Report

Once again I greet you from the Executive Board. Would someone tell me where this year has gone? It doesn't seem possible that we are at time for annual session again.

We are thrilled to report once again a blessed year in our association. We have been busy with projects for all ages of our congregations from mission trips to cookouts at Children's Home at Thomasville, our annual associational revival and with tremendous Vacation Bible Schools. Day by day and week by week God is working in our midst this year. God has blessed with souls coming to God through our churches' ministries. We give him all the praise and honor for what has happened this year.

In planning for the upcoming year, we are excited knowing that if we will follow God's spirit to lead, we can go to heights and places we can only imagine. Thank you God for your Love.

I wish to thank the member churches and those who have served on the board representing those churches. For again doing so in love and prayer, to do what we could to serve our place in God's plan. May we seek to go and do what the spirit shows is his will.

To all, thank you for your support, prayers, love, and confidence in me. I only wish to be of service, and in any way I can please call. Help me to be effective in this office. Let's work together to make this year the greatest we have ever had.

In Christ,  
Respectfully Submitted,  
Bob Richardson, Moderator



**ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH REPORT**

**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH - LAUREL SPRINGS  
LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - LAUREL SPRINGS  
LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH - WHITEHEAD  
MT. CARMEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH - CHERRY LANE  
OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH - TURKEY KNOB

**CONGRATULATIONS**



**CLASS OF 2002**

**REMEMBER**

**I CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST WHICH STRENGTHENS ME.**

**PHILIPPIANS 4:13**

The Alleghany Baptist Association Youth designed and purchased the above ad in the Alleghany High School annual and plan to continue doing this. Each year an annual will be purchased in honor of the graduating class and kept in the association office. Vacation Bible Schools and Christmas Programs were held at individual churches.

We sponsored a fellowship trip and cookout for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville (Picture Below). We enjoyed the extensive campus tour, especially a tour of a girls' cottage given by two delightful and informative young ladies. This year, each church youth group will be given a month and will be asked to host a special youth event. God has blessed us with wonderful, talented youth. They are continually faced with many trials and temptations and need our prayers and support. With God's help, let's work together to make this year the best year ever for our youth.



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## **Baptist Children's Home of North Carolina**

### **Jason and Lacey know real hope after facing hopeless times.**

Jason and Lacey lived with their mother in Hilo, Hawaii. It sounds wonderful, but for the brother and sister it was far from paradise. Their mother's lifestyle constantly placed the two children in danger. Jason was given the blame by his mother for many of the things that had gone wrong in her life.

"She didn't care about anything," Jason recalls now. "I was just there. She didn't care for me."

Jason drew violent pictures. He had difficulty relating to people and was diagnosed with attention deficit disorder. Soon his secrets were exposed. He had suffered severe physical and emotional abuse by his mother. Drugs had been a pervasive part of his life. He had begun using drugs when he was six years old.

Once Jason's grandparents discovered the truth about Jason's life, they sought immediate help for their grandson and found the help they desperately needed from Baptist Children's Homes. In August 1996, he began his new life at Broyhill Home in Clyde.

Lacey still lived with her mother. The two moved to Arizona. Lacey spent her days in the cab of her mother's boyfriend's semi-truck. She was attending school. After Jason left, Lacey became the focus of her mother's abuse.

Again the siblings' grandparents intervened. The couple began to think about bringing Lacey to live at Broyhill Home. In 1997, 14 months after Jason, she was safe.

Lacey and Jason's grandparents credit Baptist Children's Homes for giving their grandchildren real hope.

Lacey says that she plans to be a lawyer. She likes fighting for the underdog. Jason has plans for a career in broadcast journalism. Since coming to Broyhill Home, both children have accepted Christ as their Savior.

"Things began to turn around for me when I became a Christian. I began to read my Bible," Jason says. "I learned a lot of the answers to my questions. I felt like I could be open."

"Jason might be in an institution, in prison or dead. We try not to even think of Lacey's life would be like today," the grandparents say. "They've been saved!"

Jason and Lacey are two of the 1,855 children cared for by BCH last year.

### **Baptist Children's Homes grieves with Nation after September 11th attack - BCH president calls for acts of kindness.**

In the wake of the tragic events of September 11, BCH president Dr. Michael C. Balckwell stepped to the forefront to calm and encourage children and families. As the nation reeled from the attack, Blackwell immediately offered words of comfort to families through news media from Louisiana, Arizona, Alabama, and across North Carolina. He urged Americans to "show kindness" to one another and exhibit "acts of goodness" toward their communities in response to the violence exhibited against our country. BCH children and staff united to provide needed items for those serving at



Ground Zero and gave blood for the victims. Despite the physical and emotional effects of September 11, BCH's mission has remained unwavering. "America's spirit has not been lost, and our spirit of helping and healing is stronger than ever," said Blackwell.

**BCH faces financial shortfalls due to 9/11, North Carolina Baptists rise to meet financial challenges.**

As charities across America began to feel the financial effects of 9/11, Baptist Children's Homes also faced shortfalls. Experiencing nearly a 60 percent drop in annual fund giving, President Michael C. Blackwell made an urgent plea to friends and supporters. After an intense effort including personal letters and phone calls, North Carolina Baptists responded, rallying to close the gap by year-end. "I knew North Carolina Baptists would not forget their children," said Blackwell. North Carolina Baptists also stepped forward by meeting the 2001 Thanksgiving Offering Goal. Today, the effects of 9/11 are still being felt. "It is important for North Carolina Baptists to not grow weary in their efforts to help our boys and girls," said Blackwell. "Our churches are our lifeline. It is because of them we are able to touch the lives of so many."

**New BCH strategic plan unveiled.** *Quest: A Journey of Excellence* is the title of the new strategic plan that will guide Baptist Children's Homes through 2004. The major goals of the new plan include recruiting and retaining competent qualified staff; training staff; and maintaining and enhancing BCH facilities.

**BCH Trustees approve allocation for Information Technology.**

Trustees made way for sweeping technological improvements throughout BCH. A new Information Technology Center was created and work began to connect all ministry sites digitally. "Every step we take is designed to enable us to better serve children and families... today and in the future," said Dr. Michael C. Blackwell.

**Gastonia couple honored at Nolen Building dedication.**

"William "Red" and Mabel Nolen were recognized for their contribution at the dedication of the newly renovated and renamed Nolen Administration building at Mills Home on January 22, 2002. A gift from the Gastonia couple, who have long-time ties to BCH, made the necessary renovations possible.

**BCH's Developmental Disabilities Ministry dedicates two new group homes.**

More than 200 Baptist leaders, Baptist Children's Homes administrators, staff, and guests were in attendance for the historic dedication of BCH's first, new group home for developmentally disabled adults on March 26, 2002. The two homes, Davis House and Hinkle House, joined Baptist House at Bethabara located in Winston-Salem. Plans to break ground on the next DDM group home to be located in Sanford are scheduled for 2003. Baptist State Convention President, Dr Jerry Pereira, who spoke at the dedication, predicted "the Lord is going to do great and mighty" through this ministry.



***A Place for Miracles* published.**

In March 2002, BCH president Michael C. Blackwell introduced his second book. More than three years in the making, *A Place for Miracles* is a mixture of history, autobiography, inspiration, and vision. The book received the 2002 Baptist Communicators Association Design Award for Best Book Design.

***New Millennium Families: A Study Guide* introduced to North Carolina Baptists.**

In September 2001, the study guide to BCH president Michael C. Blackwell's book *New Millennium Families*, was introduced at the first of two statewide Deacon-Spouse Training Events in Bryson City. A total of more than 200 deacons and their spouses attended the two conferences. Blackwell and study guide creator Gaylin Huff led group sessions regarding the changing make-up of families as discussed in the book and its effects on the church in North Carolina. *A Study Guide*, to be used with *New Millennium Families*, helps teachers prepare for and guide groups of adults using four different formats. 7 Week Study, Youth Parent Study, Single Parent Study, and Family Ministry Study.

**Baptists called to join "Chain of Prayer" for North Carolina's children and families.**

BCH president Michael C. Blackwell has asked for all North Carolina Baptists to participate in the "Chain of Prayer." Begun in February 2002 at the annual Baptist Men's conference in Charlotte, this physical chain is made up of thin strips of paper containing handwritten prayers of NC Baptist Men, women, and children.

Throughout the year, these strips are being gathered by BCH representatives and formed together into a chain that will be displayed at this year's Baptist State Convention in November. With children and families facing many different sources of crisis in today's world, Dr. Blackwell believes this statewide unification of prayers for children and families in our state will yield great results.

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Program, church and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enable us to fulfill our mission statement - "helping hurting children....healing broken families" - through 14 locations throughout the state. **Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for your continued prayers and support.**

Michael C. Blackwell, president  
Sybil Stewart, board of trustees chair  
Fall 2002

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**The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated  
2002 Report to the Associations  
Meeting the Challenges of Health Care  
"Touching Lives With Hope"**

**BAPTIST HOSPITAL AND NORTH CAROLINA  
BAPTISTS: PARTNERS IN MISSIONS**

The Baptist Hospital began in 1921 when our North Carolina Baptist founders stated, "We desire to build a hospital to the bring healing art more definitely under dominion of the Great Healer." Gold crosses that adorn the exterior of the hospital symbolize our historic and daily commitment to bring medical excellence and Christian compassion to those we are privileged to serve. This report will highlight our partnership with North Carolina Baptists in continuing the mission of healing.

**SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE**

Our mission at the School of Pastoral Care is ***"to provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ."*** This defines the spiritual essence of who we are and the meaning of what we do in caring for hurting people. We are very thankful to North Carolina Baptists for their gifts to the School through the Cooperative Missions Program. You are making a tremendous difference as our partner in life-changing ministries.

**CareNet, Inc., our Department of Pastoral Counseling,** is the largest faith-based counseling system in the nation. We continue to expand our services across North Carolina. The scope of this ministry is astounding: 27,000 hours of counseling per year at 21 locations. These include 4 regional centers (Winston-Salem, Greenville, Fayetteville, and Wilmington) and 17 strategically located satellites. The individual stories of emotional and spiritual healing, of broken families being restored, are even more telling.

**The Center for Congregational Health** celebrates its 10th Anniversary in 2002. Dr. David Odom has been the Center's visionary leader from its beginning. The initial mission continues to guide this ministry of helping churches become healthier communities of faith. The Center is providing consultation to approximately 25 churches per month, and training to over 600 church leaders per year. The financial support of N.C. Baptists allows Baptist churches to receive initial consultation at no cost, and provides subsidies for churches and ministers needing financial assistance. Please call the Center for more information (336-716-0459).

### **The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral**

**Education** provided ministry through more than 61,000 pastoral contacts in the past year. Every day chaplains can be found comforting bereaved families, praying for seriously ill patients, reading Scriptures to those afraid, offering comfort and extending hope in the name of Jesus Christ. Fifty-three students received supervision and training in 2001.

**The Department of Church and Community Relations** continues to serve its mission as a liaison between the Hospital and North Carolina Baptist churches. We welcome you to call Rev. Paul Mullen if you need assistance (336-716-3027). Many pastors call on behalf of church members who need a referral to the Medical Center or have concerns about medical bills because of financial need. Speakers can be requested to provide an overview of the Hospital and its ministries to church groups.

### **BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND**

It is a difficult burden to be physically sick and worried about how to pay for needed medical care. North Carolina Baptists extend the compassionate reach of missions to patients in financial need at Baptist Hospital through their gifts to the Mother's Day Offering. Those you have helped are deeply thankful for this gracious witness to the love of Jesus Christ, and they are drawn closer to Him. All of the funds are used for this purpose. **Thank you**, North Carolina Baptists, for giving \$568,808 to this ministry in 2001!

### **ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL**

**Number 1 in Patient Satisfaction** - Baptist Hospital was ranked #1 in the nation in patient satisfaction, according to Press Ganey patient satisfaction scores for the spring quarter of 2002. Press Ganey, the health care industry's top satisfaction measurement firm, ranked Baptist Hospital first among its peers.



**New Brenner Children's Hospital Opens-** The 11-story addition to the Hospital opened in April 2002. Six of the floors provide private rooms for all pediatric patients, state-of-the-art technology, family resource centers, a prayer room, and an enclosed playground on the roof. The tower also includes additional operating rooms and a spacious surgical family waiting room.

**New Substance Abuse Treatment Center for Older Adults** - Wake Forest University Baptist Behavioral Health, a subsidiary of Baptist Hospital and WFU Health Services, has opened the first residential program in the region devoted exclusively to treating chemical dependency problems among adults 55 and older. The comprehensive treatment program focuses on treating the whole person, encompassing physical, emotional, social, and spiritual health.

**Ranked Among the Nation's Best** - The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc. ranks among "America's Best Hospitals" according to the July 2002 issue of *U.S. News and World Report*.

**WFUBMC: What's in a Name?** The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc. is one of two component institutions of Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center. The partnership also includes Wake Forest University Health Services (WFUHS), consisting of WFU Physicians, the School of Medicine, and other entities. Baptist Hospital and WFUHS are separate but interdependent institutions, each with its own Board of Trustees which facilitates the effective and collaborative pursuit of its mission: excellent patient care. medical education and research, and community service.



The combined institutions, WFUBMC, are overseen by a joint Board of trustees which facilitates the effective and collaborative pursuit of its mission: excellent patient care, medical education and research, and community service.

**Information and Appointments** - For more information on health related issues or to make an appointment with a physician, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

### **CLOSING WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT**

We at Baptist Hospital are very thankful to be partners in the mission of healing with North Carolina Baptists. Our roots are in this partnership, beginning as a mission enterprise of the Baptist State Convention in 1921. This report also highlights the ongoing nature of the relationship with the School of Pastoral Care. We have a sacred privilege and responsibility to serve Jesus Christ by serving people in need at Baptist Hospital. We thank you for being our partner in these "ministries of growth, hope, and healing." We ask that you pray for our patients, their families, and our staff as we seek to serve our Lord each day at the Medical Center.

Respectfully Submitted,

Len B. Preslar, Jr.

President

The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated

## **BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED**

The generous support received from North Carolina Baptists has enabled Baptist Retirement Homes to lead the state in providing benevolent care for Older Adults who lack sufficient financial resources to pay for the quality care they deserve. At all Homes communities, residents rest in the knowledge that they will be cared for as long as they live.

Baptist Retirement Homes continues to be on the cutting edge of meeting the needs of Older Adults... particularly those dealing with dementia-related conditions, such as Alzheimer's Disease.

In recent years, the Homes has established specially designed residences to meet the needs of these dear ones. The Fowler Memory Enhanced Residence at the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville has been operational since 2000; the Kulynych Memory Enhanced Residence opened at the Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem in 2001; later this year, a third residence will open at the Homes' newest community, The Gardens at Taylor Glen, in Concord.

Thank you North Carolina Baptists for helping us make life for the Older Adults of this state..."the Best of Times!"

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Brookridge Retirement Community  
Winston-Salem \*336-759-1044

The Gardens of Taylor Glen Concord  
(opening in November 2002) 704-788-6510

Hamilton Baptist Home  
Hamilton \* 252-798-5901

Taylor House Albemarle \* 704-982-4217

Western North Carolina Baptist Home  
Asheville \* 828-254-9675

In-Home Care 22 Miller Street \*  
Winston-Salem 336 722-1470

Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc.  
Winston-Salem \* 336-725-0202 \* [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)

### **The Baptist Elder Care Network -**

#### **Simple Answers \* 1.800.887.7410**

A statewide system of resource counselors answering  
questions related to the needs of aging persons -  
A free service provided by Baptist Retirement Homes

## **BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH 2001-2002**

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for His blessings this past year.

Members and guests continue to enjoy established traditions - including a fifth Saturday night singing; selection of a secret pal (to be revealed at the annual Valentine banquet); the share-a-meal program (at which time the church prepares and delivers meals to sick or shut-in individuals in the community); church clean-up and beautification work days; Baptist Men's Day; Mothers' and Fathers' Day luncheons; a fall festival (in lieu of Halloween); "Youth Sunday" (the fifth Sunday of the month) at which time the youth of the church conduct all aspects of the morning worship service; and a children's message designed for the youngest (but enjoyed by all), delivered by Connie Brooks.

Special events included Homecoming 2001; Christmas activities including neighborhood caroling and a play presented by the youth; an Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; a spring revival; a fall revival; a youth revival; and a very successful Vacation Bible School. Also, the youth of the church enjoyed a number of outings.

In April 2002, Pastor Billy Felts went on a mission trip to Haiti where he was part of a three day revival. Bellview wishes to thank the Association for their generous contribution to this ministry.

During this church year, Bellview lost its pastor of the last five years, Billy Felts. July 14, 2002 was Brother Felts last Sunday at Bellview and the church is currently seeking a new pastor.

The members of Bellview wish to thank God for all He has done and ask that all who read this pray for our church and its members - that we may be good stewards of His blessings, honor Him in all we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

## Council on Christian Higher Education Baptist State Convention of North Carolina 2002

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**Chowan**  
**College**  
800-488-4101  
[WWW.CHOWAN.EDU](http://WWW.CHOWAN.EDU)

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**Mars Hill**  
**College**  
800-543-1514  
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**CAMPBELL**  
**UNIVERSITY**  
800-334-4111  
[www.campbell.edu](http://www.campbell.edu)  
[www.wingate.edu](http://www.wingate.edu)

**Gardner-Webb**  
**UNIVERSITY**  
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**UNIVERSITY**  
800-755-5550

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"Shaping lives for... a Life" is the mission of North Carolina Baptist Colleges and Universities.

Students come to the campuses of Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, and Wingate expecting to receive an education. What they may not expect is an experience that will shape the rest of their lives.

Like the artist who carefully and methodically sculpts wet clay, giving it form and function, the faculty and staff of North Carolina Baptist colleges and universities shape the lives of students through their dedicated teaching and mentoring.

The graduates of these campuses emerge as people who become our future ministers, doctors, lawyers, artists, teachers, businesspeople, and church and community leaders.

It has been shown that graduates of church related institutions invest themselves in their churches and communities in greater numbers than graduates of public institutions of higher education. As a result of the support of North Carolina Baptists, the future looks bright for our churches and communities.

Gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina last year made it possible for six hundred twelve (612) members from four hundred forty-five (445) convention related churches to receive special scholarship assistance to attend our five affiliated institutions of Christian higher education. Seventy-four out of eighty (80) associations were represented in this group.

Some of the recipients would not have been able to pursue their dream of a degree from an accredited college or university without the financial assistance provided by generous North Carolina Baptists. One of those recipients lost his father unexpectedly during his



freshman year in college. Scholarship assistance from North Carolina Baptists made it possible for him to continue with his studies. He graduated this year.

Another scholarship recipient is the mother of six children. In spite of the pressures to be a good mother, she pursued her studies while holding down a full-time job. She, too, graduated this year with a perfect 4.0 grade point average. She is employed by a North Carolina Baptist institution.

These are a few of those who are benefiting from your generous support of our Baptist State Convention. In coming years, we will benefit from their contributions to our life as North Carolina Baptists.

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Tim Moore, President  
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## DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

### (Precious Memories)

The association's letterhead has this phrase,  
*"Missionary Baptist Churches Growing Together In  
 Loving God and Neighbors"*

In 1997, we decided to have an association with just five churches. The decision has resulted in many precious memories.

As Director of Missions, each church is a blessing. Attending five Vacation Bible Schools is great! Memories of church services, preaching, Bible studies, church music, prayer times, baptizings, trips and meals are precious.

I went to DOM meetings at Caraway and Nashville. One of the Nashville memories was when Johnny Enloe and Gwyn Sullivan witnessed to our waitress, Jennifer, at a Nashville restaurant. A Caraway special memory was Lester Evans' message at the summer conference.

Associational revival was full of good memories. The association's distribution of New Testaments and treat bags at Cora's Charities Christmas Give -Away left some fond memories. The association's cookout for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville was a time for heart-touching memories. The association's yearbook ad was a good memory.

### **Associational Revival 2002**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 13 - 7 PM - Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 14 - 7 PM - Bellview</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 15 - 7 PM - Liberty</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>October 16 - 7 PM - Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>October 17 - 7 PM - Mount Carmel</b>

**Finance Committee Report  
2002-2003**

	<b>Original 2001-2002 Budget</b>	<b>Amended 2001-2002 Budget</b>	<b>Proposed 2002-2003 Budget</b>
<b>DOM Salary</b>	<b>\$ 5640.00</b>	<b>\$5640.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,000.00</b>
<b>Social Security</b>	<b>\$ 431.46</b>	<b>\$ 431.46</b>	<b>\$ 459.00</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>\$ 450.00</b>	<b>\$ 450.00</b>	<b>\$ 350.00</b>
<b>Travel &amp; Seminars</b>	<b>\$ 600.00</b>	<b>\$ 600.00</b>	<b>\$ 240.00</b>
<b>Evangelism &amp; Church Training</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>
<b>Youth</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>
<b>WMU</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>
<b>Printing Minutes</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>
<b>Missions</b>	<b>\$ 1,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,724.98</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Operating Expense</b>	<b>\$ <u>400.00</u></b>	<b>\$ <u>400.00</u></b>	<b>\$ <u>400.00</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$10,021.46</b>	<b>\$10,746.44</b>	<b>\$11,149.00</b>

**Missions increased by \$724.98  
by Executive Board in February.**

**Percent Change in Budget 3.745 Percent Increase.  
(Amended 2001-2002 Budget and  
Proposed 2002-2003 Budget)**

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**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
Finance Committee Report 2002-2003**

**Director of Missions Salary Information**

2001-2002      2002-2003

DOM Salary(BSC of NC)      \$1,612.50      \$1,584.00

**Paid to T. R. Wagner**

DOM Salary(ABA)      \$3,356.04      \$3,717.00

**Paid to T. R. Wagner**

DOM Salary(ABA)      \$ 431.46      \$ 459.00

Social Security Tax

**Paid to IRS (Employee's Part)**

DOM Salary(ABA)  
(Retirement)      \$ 240.00      \$ 240.00

**Paid to Annuity Board**

TOTALS      \$5,640.00      \$6,000.00

Monthly Salary      \$ 470.00      \$ 500.00

Hours Per Week      20      20

(50 Weeks per Year)

Hourly Wage      \$ 5.64      \$ 6.00

**Able to apply for Annuity  
Board Health Insurance**

Yes      Yes

ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
Finance Committee Report 2002-2003

Six Year Comparison

	Balance	Budget	Percent of Budget in Checkbook at the Start of the Year
9-1-97	\$ 975.18		
1997-1998		\$5,028.16	
1997 Annual Meeting			19.4%
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9-1-98	\$ 3,147.75		
1998-1999		\$ 5,343.60	
1998 Annual Meeting			58.9%
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9-1-99	\$ 5,352.27		
1999-2000		\$ 7,435.40	
1999 Annual Meeting			71.9 %
*****			
8-21-00	\$ 5,074.80		
2000-2001		\$ 9,504.74	
2000 Annual Meeting			53.4 %
*****			
8-10-01	\$ 5,263.83		
2001-2002		\$10,021.46	
2001 Annual Meeting			51.6 %
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2002-2003 Budget			
8-19-02	\$ 4,630.39		
2001-2002		\$11,149.00	
2001 Annual Meeting			41.5 %

# Memorial Service

BELLVIEW.....

LAUREL SPRINGS.....Mrs. Margaret B. Miller  
Mr. Robert F. Myers, Deacon

LIBERTY.....

MOUNT CARMEL.....

OSBORNE  
MEMORIAL.....Mr. Clement Osborne, Deacon



**Mr. Robert Myers  
Laurel Springs  
Deacon**





**Mrs. Margaret Miller**  
**Laurel Springs**



**Mr. Clement Osborne**  
**Osborne Memorial**  
**Deacon**

## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - HIGHLIGHTS**

### **September, 2001**

Some members of the church attended a special prayer service for the tragic events of September 11, 2001 at Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church. Enjoyed a harvest meal with our brothers and sisters in Christ on the 14th at the Presbyterian Church. September 23, the New Damascus Church Choir and their Pastor from Wilkesboro gave an outstanding and uplifting gospel concert. Just what our hearts needed for this particular September.

### **October 2001**

The Associational Revival was well attended at each of the churches. Special offering went to the NC Baptist Men's Disaster Relief Fund. A special meal and presentation to Dorothy Ferguson for playing the piano for the church in the summer.

### **November 2001**

Thanksgiving, decorate the Christmas tree, plan holiday events, and practice the Christmas Play

### **December 2001**

Enjoyed catered Prime Rib and Baked Ham dinner before youth and older youth presented one of their best plays called, "The Christmas Rapture." After the play, treat bags were given out. On December 24th, a Candlelight Christmas Eve Service with luminaries leading the way to the "little church on the hill" was very special. On December 31st, Joint New Year's Eve Service with Liberty Baptist Church and Osborne Memorial Baptist Church.

Refreshments were served and the play "The Christmas Rapture" was presented again.

### **January 2002**

Many members began the Bible Pathway series of reading the Bible through in a year.

### **February 2002**

A Sweetheart Breakfast for all the ladies was prepared by the men, a special treat.

### **March 2002**

On the 17th, we had a Gideon Speaker. "Maundy Thursday" services with communion and "30 Pieces of Silver" coin bags for the Building Fund was observed on March 28th. On March 31st, Easter Sunrise Service was held with 80 attending from the two churches. The Pastor of Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church presented a special selection she wrote for the service. A wonderful brunch was served.

### **April 2002**

Began 12 week video series of Experiencing God on Wednesday nights.

### **May 2002**

Mother's Day Gifts went to the oldest and youngest mothers. Also \$250.00 donation to the WMU in recognition of all ladies in the church. 83 attended the first night of revival with Rev. Fred Jennings. Average attendance was 65 for all nights.

**June 2002**

During a church clean-up day, 14 members cleaned windows and replenished the mulch around the church. Hal Williams, Missionary to Paupa New Guinea, spoke during Sunday School and Worship Service. On Father's Day, gift cards from Lowes were given to the oldest and youngest fathers, and \$250.00 donation to the WMU in recognition of all fathers. Two new converts were baptized in the creek in front of Doughton Hall and welcomed into the fellowship of the church. WMU presented them with Bibles.

**July 2002**

Vacation Bible School went well this year. We had a really good time learning about the faithful servants in the Old Testament. Average attendance was 44 each night with 63 for family night. Homecoming was observed and 74 attended. Sally Duran, harpist, played many favorite hymns including "Jesus Loves Me."

**August 2002**

Ken Kern welcomed as an ordained deacon to the church. Began a 3 week video series on Islam and the Koran by Dr. John Hagge on Wednesday nights.

2 members joined by baptism. 2 members passed away. Margaret "Maggie" Miller on December 15, 2001, and former deacon Robert "Bob" Myers on July 29, 2002.

The choir is a special blessing, aswell as our 3 church pianists, Wilma Foster, Nina Elliott, and Judy Hines.

WMU ladies are very active preparing meals for the sick and bereaved families of the church. Many projects in and around the church are being done through the combined efforts of Paul Foster and Ray Petty. New fixtures and brighter lights were installed in the fellowship room, also a storage cabinet with rollers for more serving space. Storage cabinets were assembled and installed in Sunday School rooms. An existing area in the basement was closed in, and a door was added and painted for storage. Enclosed the furnace room steps outside with vinyl fencing and made and installed a door to fit the furnace room. Major improvements this year included vinyl siding on all exposed wood, windows, and steeple and repaving the parking area. God has truly blessed our church in many ways. We appreciate our Pastor Dana Hines and his wife Judy and their family. Our deacons are exceptionally faithful members ready to lend a hand where needed. God is so good to his children.

### **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - WMU**

Laurel Springs WMU continues to be strong with good attendance at monthly meetings where a Mission/Bible Study is given and mission projects and prayer are emphasized.

Mission Projects this year have included: Sending "We Prayed for You" cards following each meeting to those prayer was requested for; Get Well, Sympathy, and Birthday Cards are sent throughout the month; Meals for families when there is illness or death; Mission money to Annie Armstrong Offering, Lottie Moon

## ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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Offering, and Graffitti; Craft supplies, cake mixes, and clothing to Graffitti; and pots, pans, flatware, etc to Cora's Charities. We also met other special needs as they arose in the community and our church family.

The WMU was proud to present Bibles to new converts following their Baptism.

A new project this year was the giving of several dictionaries to inmates in the Wilkes County jail to aid them in learning to read, especially the Bible, with the help of a volunteer there.

We appreciate regular participation from Liberty and hope to meet with Mount Carmel in the near future.

### **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH - YOUTH**

**Our Father Which Art in Heaven, Hallowed  
Be THY NAME.**

The youth enjoyed a trip to the Race Track at Lowes Motor Speedway in Charlotte, NC. Most of us had never been to a race and did not know what to expect. There was a prerace Christian program in which there was great Contemporary Gospel music and a nice presentation and testimony by Mr. Joe Gibbs. Everyone entered the enormous track in anticipation of an exciting race and we were drenched in a downpour which lasted long enough to make us retreat to vehicles and start back home. We left the track and as we entered Wilkesboro, heard on the radio that the race was about to begin. That was a little disappointing but the prerace show was worth the trip and the fellowship was great.



The Youth participate in spreading mulch and helping improve the church grounds. They supported the efforts at Grafitti in New York. They collected food for the food closet in Sparta and some of the Youth participated in the visits to the Rest Home in Sparta.

The Christmas play was a hit as usual. It was so popular that a repeat performance was requested. The theme was Rapture. Hey, we are still looking for it you know.

Some of the Youth are participating in our effort as a church to read through the Bible this year following a Bible Pathway Guide.

We enjoyed a trip to Carowinds in July and had a wonderful Bible School.

**Thanks to all who helped or attended any of these functions. Especially Thank GOD for all His Blessings.**

## **LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH - HIGHLIGHTS 2001-2002**

Welcomed three new members by baptism. Hosted 85 youth and workers from First Baptist Church of Auburndale, Florida. Held Easter Sunrise Service, Vacation Bible School, and Christmas Program. Went with associational youth to Baptist Children's Home for a cookout.

The following improvements in the basement were made in honor of Jerry McMillian: installed new bathroom fixtures, painted walls, installed carpet, installed tile, and installed a new sink in the kitchen.

### **MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH 2001 - 2002**

#### **Rev. Everette Shaw:**

- \* In February 2002 Pastor Everette Shaw was honored at a Fellowship Dinner for 50 years as Pastor (9/1/02) at Mt. Carmel Baptist Church. The children's Sunday School classes presented him with hand drawn pictures of "50 Years of Preaching". Approximately 100 persons attended the Fellowship Dinner.

#### **Mt. Camel Church & Fellowship Hall:**

- \* Twelve people joined Mt. Carmel this past year. Eight people (5 adults & 3 children) joined the church by letter of recommendation. Four people (1 adult and 3 children) joined by Baptism.
- \* On September 26th Mt. Carmel held a deacon ordination ordaining Robert Patrick and Jay Shaw as deacons and their wives Barbara Patrick and Joyce Shaw Deaconesses.
- \* In May, portraits were taken for a new church directory which will be published this Fall.
- A new chrome cross was mounted on the church belfry in August. The cemetery fence was extended to enclose the property purchased last year. Decoration services were held on July 7th.

- \* The tradition of 5th Sunday fellowship dinners continues with meals taken to homebound members. A 3rd Sunday evening singing fellowship night started in August.

### **Church Fellowship Events:**

- \* September: Traveled to "Noah's Ark," Pennsylvania
- \* November: Annual trip to Dixie Pottery, Virginia.
- \* April: Youth and adults attended the Neal Hatfield Crusade, Elkin NC.

### **Holiday Events:**

- \* The annual Thanksgiving Dinner open to the public was well attended. Singing was provided by: "Church Ladies", WMU Ladies, Betty & Marvin Shaw, Jay Shaw & Eddie Hines, Gene & Teresa Murphy, Edward Lyons, & the City Bound group.
- \* The Christmas season was celebrated and honored for four Sundays prior to the holiday. Special readings for the children were done explaining the Christian message behind the Candy Cane and Christmas trees. Advent readings were done during Worship Service. The WMU delivered 24 fruit baskets.
- \* Two Christmas plays were presented: "Christmas in the Toy Shop" by the children and "Emmanuel-God With Us" by the Adults.
- \* 35 shoeboxes were collected for the Franklin Graham Operation Christmas.

- \* The traditional New Years Eve "Singin' Out the Old and In the New" was held with both outside and church groups singing well into the morning of January 1, 2002.
- \* Easter Sunrise Service was followed by a fellowship breakfast. At Worship service, the children performed readings entitled "Resurrection Eggs."
- \* On Mother's Day and Father's Day the church mothers and fathers were honored with crafts, poems, cups, candies and Bible markers.

### **Missions Supported:**

- \* NC Baptist Hospital, Annie Armstrong, Baptist Retirement Home, Baptist Children's Home, & NC Missions.
- \* In July, Wanda Lyons & David Woodruff joined a 10-day 15-member mission trip to Quetzaltango, Guatemala. The mission office was repaired, Sunday School rooms were painted and Bible study was held for the children. 95 children attended Bible study the last night; it started with 35 children.

### **Revivals:**

- \* Mt. Carmel hosted the Alleghany Baptist Association Revival on October 18th. Once again, we enjoyed the "pastors group" singers which this year included Ross Wagner.
- \* Spring Revival was held May 19th with Pastor Mike Sage and special singing groups nightly through Friday.

### **Food Closet:**

- \* Mt. Carmel again received a \$3,000 grant from the NC Baptist State Convention, Hunger Fund and \$5,300 from the Emergency Shelter program managed by Social Services. Approximately 2,200 of these funds were used to help church and community members with prescription bills, electric and food bills. In 2002, the Food Closet Director and assistants served 184 people with about 3,700 meals.

### **Vacation Bible School:**

- \* July 14-19: Vacation Bible School - Theme : Space Station 2002 - Exploring Our Awesome God. Bible studies emphasized God's Awesome Power, Love and the Salvation Countdown. A Sunday school room was turned into a space station with glow in the dark stars, planets and Bible Verses. Craft projects made galaxy mobiles, power backpacks, tee shirts, visors & power rockets banks to store items reminding the children of God's Power. A "Bring a Friend Treasure Chest" rewarded children who brought a friend to VBS. And a puppet named Turbo helped them remember their Bible study lessons.

**MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH  
WOMENS MISSION UNION  
2001 - 2002**

The Mount Carmel Women's Mission Union meets the second Thursday of every month at the Church Fellowship Hall at 7 PM.

- \* Pastor appreciation was celebrated in February. We were celebrating our Pastor Rev. Everette Shaw's fifty years as preacher. We also celebrated his birthday and presented him with an engraved gold watch following a fellowship dinner.
- \* We worked several months to organize members for a new church directory. Pictures were taken in May and it was a great success.
- \* On Mother's Day and Father's Day, we gave gifts and paid homage to all parents everywhere.
- \* Many donations and gifts were given to families in need. Special Valentine cakes were baked and delivered as a part of a fellowship visit to our church family members. The Franklin Graham Shoebox collection was the largest ever for the church.
- \* We participated in the Sparta Fall Festival in September. This fundraising event was very successful. We continue to receive lots of donations that allow us to continue our missions outreach in the community.



- \* The Bereavement Committee has reached out to about 150 people in the area, both in the church and Cherry Lane Community. Over 140 sympathy, "thinking of you," and get well cards were sent. The WMU also reaches out to the bereaved family members in the church and community with a basket of ham, coffee, and paper goods. WMU members usually stay at the family home during the funeral to help the family during their time of grief.

**Mt. Carmel Baptist Church  
Youth Group Report  
2001-2002**

- 1) Helped with Thanksgiving meal for the public
- 2) Presented the Christmas play,  
    *"Christmas in the Toy Shop"*
- 3) Collected shoe boxes for Samaritan's Purse
- 4) Provided pizza at Christmas Play practice
- 5) Gave the pastor a birthday gift
- 6) Attended Vacation Bible School in July
- 7) Gave money for a mission trip to  
    Wanda Lyons for WNCC trip
- 8) Gave Mother's Day gifts to Mothers in the  
    Church (\$40.00)
- 9) Gave Father's Day gifts to the Fathers in the  
    Church (\$46.00)
- 10) Participated in a Fundraiser Spaghetti Dinner and  
    T-Shirt sales. Raised \$700.00.

Submitted by Misty Seals, Secretary

## **OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH HIGHLIGHTS (2000-2001)**

- \* Christmas program by young people
- \* Finished picnic shelter
- \* Held Vacation Bible School
- \* Sponsored a "Coins for Kids" program in which spare change was collected and \$200 was sent to Baptist Children's Homes for Christmas gifts and \$200 was sent to Mission in New Mexico
- \* Continued to sponsor missionary in New Mexico
- \* Held annual decoration and Homecoming service
- \* Welcomed 11 new members during the year
- \* High School graduates given gift certificates to Wal-Mart
- \* Had a Back-To-School picnic
- \* Annual Trip to Carowinds
- \* Bible Study each first Sunday Night
- \* Contributed funds to various individual needs in the community
- \* Held Easter Sunrise service in conjunction with Mt. Carmel church in Turkey Knob Community
- \* Had various singing groups visiting for song service
- \* Choir has been enriched with voices from new and old members

# ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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## OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH HIGHLIGHTS (2001-2002) First Page

DATE	EVENT
October-2001	Church participated in the Associational Revival
November-2001	Alleghany County Christmas Parade - We won a blue ribbon for church float.
November-2001	We lost a long time deacon and a dear member of our church, Clement Osborne.
December 2001	COINS FOR KIDS - We raised almost \$600 to split among our missionaries and Baptist Children's Homes.
December 2001	Youth and Adult Christmas Programs
December 2001	Communion
December 2001	Surprise birthday party for Pastor Russell Mabe
April 2002	Communion
May 2002	Joined in on Associational cookout at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville
May 2002	Mothers were recognized in special service on Mother's Day.
June 2002	Carowinds Youth Trip
June 2002	NC Zoo church group outing
June 2002	Fathers were recognized in special service on Father's Day.

**OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH  
HIGHLIGHTS (2001-2002) Second Page**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
July 2002	Vacation Bible School, average attendance was 40.
August 2002	Picnic Shelter is completed. Many church members helped to complete this project
August 2002	Homecoming Services
September 2002	We licensed Glenn Somers for Ministry.
September 2002	Church preparing to install a new water system

Our church has reached out to many local families in need during the past year.

We have had 2 church workdays in the past year. Many members (and non-members) have unselfishly volunteered their talents and time for the benefit of our church.

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**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
TREASURER'S REPORT 08/20/01 -08/30/02**

**Balance as of 08/20/01** **\$5,263.83**

**RECEIPTS Page 1**

08/30/01	Interest	1.90
09/01/01	Baptist State Convention of NC	100.00
09/04/01	Osborne Memorial	200.00
09/08/00	A.B.A. #1002 (Honorarium Returned)	50.00
09/15/01	Mt. Carmel	150.00
09/19/01	Laurel Springs	300.00
09/20/01	Bellview	192.74
09/21/01	Skyline Capital Credit	16.12
09/27/01	Interest	2.09
	Bank Correction	329.91
10/02/01	Bellview	268.14
10/02/01	Baptist State Convention of NC	100.00
	Associational Revival Offering (Disaster Relief Offering)	
10/14/01	Osborne Memorial (Baptist Men)	182.41
	Check to Baptist Men (\$20)	
10/15/01	Liberty (Baptist Men)	150.00
10/16/01	Laurel Springs (Baptist Men)	101.00
10/18/01	Mount Carmel (Baptist Men)	125.00
10/31/01	Bellview (Baptist Men)	100.00
10/25/01	Interest	2.35
11/09/01	Bellview	178.45
11/01/01	Baptist State Convention of NC	<u>100.00</u>
12/02/01	Bellview	300.47
11/26/01	Interest	2.81

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**RECEIPTS    Page 2**

12/01/01	Baptist State Convention of NC	100.00
12/01/01	Mt. Carmel	150.00
12/03/01	Osborne Memorial	200.00
01/06/02	Bellview	219.27
01/07/02	Laurel Springs	300.00
12/27/02	Interest	2.24
01/07/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
01/16/02	Osborne Memorial	200.00
01/28/02	Interest	2.38
01/15/02	BSC of NC (State Missions Offering)	66.90
02/10/02	Bellview	141.14
02/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
02/05/02	BSC of NC (Fax Machine)	<u>212.98</u>
02/27/02	Interest	2.12
03/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
03/02/02	Bellview	250.00
03/18/02	Osborne Memorial	200.00
03/25/02	Mount Carmel	150.00
04/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
04/08/02	Bellview	177.75
04/08/02	Laurel Springs	300.00
04/24/02	Interest	1.76
05/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	<u>146.00</u>
05/27/02	Interest	1.95
03/27/02	Interest	1.82
06/05/02	Bellview	453.58
06/03/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
07/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
07/07/02	Bellview	163.00
07/17/02	Laurel Springs	300.00



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06/26/02	Interest	1.71
07/25/02	Interest	1.61
08/01/02	Osborne Memorial	200.00
08/01/02	Baptist State Convention of NC	146.00
08/01/02	Bellview	155.41
08/ /02	Mount Carmel	150.00
08/15/02	Liberty	<u>1,000.00</u>

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$9,227.01

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ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
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DISBURSEMENTS Page 1

08/20/01	#700 Annuity Board - SBC	20.00
09/05/01	#1001 Skyline Telephone	24.34
	Check Stamp	28.50
09/08/00	#1002 Paul Mullen (Honorarium)	50.00
	#1003 Void	
	#1004 Skyline Automatic Withdrawal	
09/19/01	#1005 Annuity Board - SBC	20.00
09/21/01	#1006 T.R. Wagner	437.51
	( Salary 414.04, Operations 23.47)	
10/10/01	#1007 Annuity Board - SBC	20.00
10/20/01	#1008 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	414.04
10/30/01	#1009 IRS - Third Quarter	203.52
10/31/01	#1010 BSC (Baptist Men)	658.41
10/31/01	#1011 Alleghany High School	85.00
	(Youth) 1/2 Page Yearbook Ad	

**DISBURSEMENTS Page 2**

11/13/01	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	<b>56.57</b>
11/20/01	<b>#1012 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	<b>414.04</b>
11/20/01	<b>#1013 T.R. Wagner (Mileage</b> 111.00, Meals 17.06, Operations 25.10)	<b>171.16</b>
12/17/01	<b>#1014 American Bible Society</b>	<b>178.09</b>
	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	<b>20.00</b>
12/17/01	<b>#1015 Annuity Board-SBC</b> (Oct. & Nov.)	<b>40.00</b>
12/12/01	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	<b>54.63</b>
12/20/01	<b>#1016 T.R. Wagner</b> (Salary 414.04, Spanish New Testaments 41.25, Treats 55.64)	<b>510.93</b>
12/17/01	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	<b>20.00</b>
01/20/02	<b>#1017 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	<b>414.04</b>
01/11/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	<b>26.63</b>
01/23/02	<b>#1018 IRS - Fourth Quarter</b>	<b>215.73</b>
01/30/02	<b>#1019 Staples</b> (Fax/Copier/Printer/Scanner)	<b>212.98</b>
01/30/02	<b>#1020 Billy Blevins</b> (Rent for Perry Family)	<b>250.00</b>
02/14/02	<b>#1021 Postmaster (P O Box Rent)</b>	<b>32.00</b>
02/20/02	<b>#1022 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	<b>414.04</b>
02/18/02	<b>#1023 Grandview</b> (Blevins Family)	<b>200.00</b>
02/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	<b>25.94</b>
02/19/02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	<b>20.00</b>
02/27/02	<b>#1024 T.R. Wagner</b> (Mileage 108.00, (Mileage 108.00, Meals 11.07, Postage 20.14, & Office 37.54)	<b>177.01</b>
03/02/02	<b>#1025 Pastor Fritz (Haiti Crusade)</b>	<b>500.00</b>
03/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	<b>28.19</b>

**DISBURSEMENTS Page 3**

03/ /02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	20.00
03/20/02	<b>#1026 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	414.04
04/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	33.60
04/18/02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	20.00
04/20/02	<b>#1027 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	414.04
04/ /02	<b>#1028 T.R. Wagner (Office)</b>	112.00
04/25/02	<b>#1029 IRS - First Quarter</b>	215.76
05/19/02	<b>#1030 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	<u>414.04</u>
05/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	33.20
06/11/02	<b>#1031 U.S. Postal Service</b> (Stamps)	7.40
06/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	28.19
	<b>#1032 A.H.S. (Youth- Yearbook)</b>	40.00
06/16/02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	20.00
06/19/02	<b>#1033 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	414.04
06/26/02	<b>#1034 Wal-Mart</b> (Youth - BCH Picnic)	107.35
06/28/02	<b>#1035 Wal-Mart</b> (Youth - BCH Picnic)	82.47
07/12/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	27.31
07/17/02	<b>#1036 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	414.04
07/17/02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	20.00
07/23/02	<b>#1037 IRS - Second Quarter</b>	215.76
08/15/02	<b>Skyline</b> Automatic Withdrawal	28.53
08/ /02	<b>Annuity Board</b> Automatic Deduction	20.00
08/19/02	<b>#1038 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>	414.04
08/19/02	<b>#1039 (Office Operations)</b>	109.53
08/23/02	<b>#1040 (Printing Minutes)</b>	<u>291.81</u>

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS** **\$ 9,860.45**

**BALANCE AS OF 08/30/02** **\$ 4,630.39**

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**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
TREASURER'S REPORT 08/20/01 -08/20/02**

<b>BALANCE AS OF 08/20/01</b>	<b>5,263.83</b>
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>+ 9,227.01</b>
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b><u>- 9,860.45</u></b>
<b>BALANCE AS OF 08/30/02</b>	<b>4,630.39</b>

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**2001-2002 RECEIPTS by Source**

<b>Bellview</b>	<b>\$2,499.95</b>
<b>Laurel Springs</b>	<b>\$1,200.00</b>
<b>Liberty</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>
<b>Mt. Carmel</b>	<b>\$ 600.00</b>
<b>Osborne Memorial</b>	<b>\$1,000.00</b>
<b>Baptist State Convention</b>	<b>\$1,847.88</b>
<b>Skyline Telephone</b>	<b>\$ 16.12</b>
<b>Honorarium Returned</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>
<b>Associational Revival</b>	<b>\$ 658.41</b>
<b>Bank Correction</b>	<b>\$ 329.91</b>
<b>Interest</b>	<b>\$ <u>24.74</u></b>
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$9,227.01</b>

**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
TREASURER'S REPORT 08/20/01 -08/20/02**

	<b>2001-2002 Budget</b>	<b>2001-2002 Disbursements</b>
DOM Salary (ABA)	\$ 4072.00	\$ 4,085.86
DOM Salary (BSC-NC)	\$ 1568.00	\$ 1,568.00
Social Security Tax	\$ 431.46	\$ 425.39
Utilities (Telephone)	\$ 450.00	\$ 367.13
Travel & Seminars	\$ 600.00	\$ 247.13
Evangelism & Church Training	\$ 500.00	\$ 0
Youth Committee	\$ 400.00	\$ 314.82
WMU	\$ 200.00	\$ 0
Printing Minutes	\$ 400.00	\$ 291.81
Missions	\$ 1,724.98	\$ 1,224.98
Honorarium	\$ 0	\$ 50.00
Operating Expense	\$ <u>400.00</u>	\$ <u>413.94</u>
<b>TOTAL BUDGET</b>	<b>\$10,746.44</b>	<b>\$ 8,989.06</b>
Non-Budget Disbursement	Staples	\$212.98
Money provided by BSC-NC.	(Fax Machine)	
Non-Budget Disbursement	Baptist Men	\$658.41
Associational Revival Offering (Disaster Relief)		
<b>Total Disbursements</b>		<b>\$9,860.45</b>

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

We had five good Vacation Bible Schools. We had good attendance at each Bible School. Vacation Bible School is so good because children have fun while learning about Jesus.

One church used one of the association's *Adventure Zone* reusable VBS kits. The *Adventures of Jesus*, *Adventures of Paul*, and *Bible Heroes* kits are available for future use.

Church	Total Enrollment	Dates - 2002
Bellview	116	June 10 - 15
Liberty	39	June 16 - 21
Laurel Springs	66	July 7 - 10
Mount Carmel	93	July 14 - 19
Osborne Memorial	28	July 18 - 20

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The Baptist Association

# CHANGED LIVES

*Caring People*

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex
1.1886, Sep. 24-25	Buffalo	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I G.W. Greene	I James Eller
2.1887, Sep. 22-24	New Hope	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I S.M. Collins	I James Eller
3.1888, Sep. 6-8	Apple Grove	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I T.M. Honeycutt	I James Eller
4.1889, Sep. 12-14	Landmark	I W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
5.1890, Sep. 18-20	Jefferson	I W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I J.F. Fletcher	I James Eller
6.1891, Sep. 17-19	Sparta	I W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I F.B. Cheek	I James Eller
7.1892, Sep. 15-17	Bethel	I W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I D.J. Harris	I James Eller
8.1893, Sep. 14-16	Apple Grove	I T.M. Duncan	H.A. Eller	I W.H. Glenn	I James Eller
9.1894, Sep. 13-15	Healing Springs	I W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I E. Tucker	I James Eller
10.1895, Oct. 3-5	Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I R.L. Shoaf	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
11.1896, Oct. 1-3	Brushy Fork	I J.H. Doughton	H.A. Eller	I E. Blevins	I J.H. Doughton
12.1897, Sep. 28-30	Forest Home	I J.H. Doughton	H.A. Eller	I E.F. Tatum	I H.A. Eller
1.1897, Nov. 5	Sparta	I J.H. Doughton	I J.M. Wagoner	I E. Tucker	I J.H. Doughton
2.1898, Oct. 7-9	Brush Crk. (Va.)	I L.D. Vaughan	I J.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I T.R. Windsor
3.1899, Sep. 7-9	Laurel Springs	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I R.K. Johnson	I R.L. Doughton
4.1900, Sep. 6-8	New Hope	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I James Shumate	I R.L. Doughton
5.1901, Sep. 5-7	Pine Fork	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I C.M. Rock	I R.L. Doughton
6.1902, Sep. 11-13	Sparta	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I L.D. Vaughan	I R.L. Doughton
7.1903, Sep. 10-12	Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I T.R. Windsor	I J.W. Burchett	I R.L. Doughton

8. 1904, Sep. 8-10	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I E. Blevins	I W.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I J.F. Cheek
9. 1905, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I L.M. Holloway	I W.C. Fields
10. 1906, Sep. 7-9	I New Hope	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I E. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
11. 1907, Sep. 6-8	I Pine Fork	I E. Blevins	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
12. 1908, Sep. 10-12	I Pleasant G. (Va.)	I J.F. Fletcher	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
13. 1909, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I R.L. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I R.L. Doughton
14. 1910, Sep. 9-11	I Laurel Springs	I W.L. Hoppers	I H.C. Edwards	I W.L. Hoppers	I R.L. Doughton
15. 1911, Sep. 8-10	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I D.S. Hubble	I R.L. Doughton
16. 1912, Sep. 6-8	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
17. 1913, Sep. 12-14	I Chestnut Grove	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
18. 1914, Sep. 11-13	I Pine Fork	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I Jno. E. Ray	I B.E. Reeves
19. 1915, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I	I W.F. Doughton
20. 1916, Sep. 8-10	I Mt. Carmel	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I L.B. Murray	I B.E. Reeves
21. 1917, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I C.M. Cope	I G.T. Caudill
22. 1918, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I G.M. Reeves	I W.F. Doughton
23. 1919, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I S.L. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
24. 1920, Sep. 10-12	I Chestnut Ridge	I B.E. Reeves	I J.F. Roberts	I W.A. Hash	I R.L. Doughton
25. 1921, Sep. 9-11	I Pine Fork	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Jones	I Coy Blackburn	I R.L. Doughton
26. 1922, Sep. 8-10	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I W.L. Hoppers	I John M. Cheek
27. 1923, Sep. 7-9	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I C.E. Maddry	I John M. Cheek
28. 1924, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I A. Lamonds	I John M. Cheek
29. 1925, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
30. 1926, Sep. 10-12	I New Hope	I John M. Cheek	I N.C. Teague	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
31. 1927, Sep. 9-11	I Bellview	I John M. Cheek	I W.B. Reeves	I N.C. Teague	I John M. Cheek
32. 1928, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I W. Franklin	I W.F. Jones	I W. Franklin	I J.T. Fender
33. 1929, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I J.M. Page	I R.A. Wagoner
34. 1930, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I A. Hayes	I R.A. Wagoner
			I J.L. Underwood	I E. Whisenhunt	I R.A. Wagoner

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex
35. 1931, Sep. 11-13	Laurel Springs	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I J.L. Underwood	I M.E. Reeves
36. 1932, Sep. 9-11	New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I T.M. Hayes	I M.E. Reeves
37. 1933, Sep. 8-10	Bellview	I W.F. Doughton	I J.T. Fender	I C.H. McKnight	I John M. Cheek
38. 1934, Sep. 7-9	Liberty	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I G.A. Martin	I T.R. Burgess
39. 1935, Sep. 6-8	Mt. Carmel	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Blevins	I F.W. Royal
40. 1936, Sep. 12-14	Scottville	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Naff	I A.O. Joines
41. 1937, Sep. 10-12	Pine Fork	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fedner	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
42. 1938, Sep. 9-11	Sparta	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I H.J. Ford	I John M. Cheek
43. 1939, Sep. 8-10	Chestnut Grove	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I J.M. Hayes	I John M. Cheek
44. 1940, Sep. 6-8	Laurel Springs	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I S.L. Blevins	I John M. Cheek
45. 1941, Sep. 12-14	New Hope	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I A.C. Ashley	I John M. Cheek
46. 1942, Sep. 12-13	Bellview	I F.W. Royall	I Van Miller	I N.M. Greene	I W.F. Doughton
47. 1943, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I W.T. Whittington	I W.F. Doughton
48. 1944, Sep. 9-10	Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I R.H. Satterfield	I W.F. Doughton
49. 1945, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I E.B. Barton	I W.F. Doughton
50. 1946, Sep. 7-8	Osborne Memorial	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I W.H. Caldwell	I W.F. Doughton
51. 1947, Sep. 13-14	Scottville	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I C Gwaltney	I W.F. Doughton
52. 1948, Sep. 11-12	Pine Fork	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Doughton
53. 1949, Sep. 10-11	Laurel Springs	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I J.G. Goodman	I W.F. Doughton
54. 1950, Sep. 9-10	New River	I Van F. Miller	I W.K. Sprinkle	I F.G. Walker	I W.F. Doughton
55. 1951, Sep. 8-9	New Hope	I Van F. Miller	I J.B. Reed	I Fred Blevins	I Van F. Miller
56. 1952, Sep. 13-14	Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I E.V. Bumgarner	I W.F. Doughton
57. 1953, Sep. 12-13	Bellview	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I H.J. Ford	I W.F. Doughton

58. 1954, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
59. 1955, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I R.R. Campbell	I A.O. Joines
60. 1956, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I Audley Frazier	I A.O. Joines
61. 1957, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
62. 1958, Sep. 7-8	I Scottville	I E.C. Minnich	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Earnest Upchurch	I A.O. Joines
63. 1959, Sep. 11-12	I Pine Fork	I Jack W. Byrd	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
64. 1960, Sep. 9-10	I Laurel Springs	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. T. S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
65. 1961, Sep. 8-9	I New River	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. A.E. Sells	I A.E. Sells	I Rev. Jack Byrd
66. 1962, Sep. 7-8	I New Hope	I Van Miller	I Donna Jones	I Cleo Whitney	I Jack W. Byrd
67. 1963, Sep. 6-7	I Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Bobby Elledge	I Ben Reeves
68. 1964, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Jack W. Byrd	I Ben Reeves
69. 1965, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Lewis Williams	I Donna Jones	I James Durham	I Van F. Miller
70. 1966, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bobby Elledge	I Donna Jones	I Jack Richardson	I Van F. Miller
71. 1967, Sep. 9-10	I Osborne Memorial	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Everett Shaw	I J.K. Blum
72. 1968, Sep. 6-7	I Scottville	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Austol Youmans	I J.K. Blum
73. 1969, Sep. 12-13	I Pine Fork	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I J.T. Pardue	I J.K. Blum
74. 1970, Sep. 11-12	I Laurel Springs	I J.K. Blum	I Irene R. Wagner	I Bobby Elledge	I J.K. Blum
75. 1971, Sep. 10-11	I New River	I Claude Roupe	I Jimmy L. Warden	I Michael Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
76. 1972, Sep. 8-9	I Bellview	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
77. 1973, Sep. 7-8	I Chestnut Grove	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I Micheal Seoaguh	I Claude Roupe
78. 1974, Sep. 6-7	I New Hope	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
79. 1975, Sep. 12-13	I Sparta	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I James Lambert	I Claude Roupe
80. 1976, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Jimmy Warden	I Micheal Sepaugh
81. 1977, Sep. 9-10	I Liberty	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Bill Ballou	I Micheal Sepaugh
82. 1978, Sep. 8-9	I Osborne Memorial	I Mac Warren	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Dwight Leftwich	I Mac Warren
83. 1979, Sep. 7-8	I Pine Fork	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
84. 1980, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Gene Webb	I Thomas Neville



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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex
85.1981, Sep. 11-12	New Hope	Thomas Neville	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Glenn Graves	Thomas Neville
86.1982, Sep. 10-11	Bellview	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Howard J. Ford	Glenn Graves
87.1983, Sep. 9-10	Sparta	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Tom Graves	Glenn Graves
88.1984, Sep. 7-8	Mount Carmel	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Jim Lambert	Glenn Graves
89.1985, Sep. 13-14	Osborne Memorial	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Roy J. Smith	Glenn Graves
90.1986, Sep. 12-13	Liberty	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Glenn Graves
91.1987, Sep. 11-12	Chestnut Grove	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Tom Lolley	Bob Richardson
92.1988, Sep. 10-11	Pine Fork	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Bob Richardson
93.1989, Sep. 8-9	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bobby Elledge	Bob Richardson
94.1990, Sep. 14-15	New Hope	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Larry Atwood	Bob Richardson
95.1991, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Johnny Huffman	Bob Richardson
96.1992, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Jack Byrd	Bob Richardson
97.1993, Sep. 10-11	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson	David Finney	Rev. Jimmy Warden	Bob Richardson
98.1994, Sep. 9-10	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Russel Mabe	Bob Richardson
99.1995, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Bill Yates	Bob Richardson
100.1996, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Barbara Richardson	Rev. Dean Adams	Bob Richardson
101.1997, Sep. 12-13	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson		Rev. Dana Hines	Bob Richardson
102.1998, Sep. 11-12	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson		Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
103.1999, Sep. 10-11	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson
103.2000, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Ralph Smith	Bob Richardson
104.2001, Sep. 7-8	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Billy Felts	Bob Richardson
105.2002, Sep. 6-7	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Dana Hines	Bob Richardson



## Table A-MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Director of Associational Missions-  
Mr. Ross Wagner  
5839 Pine Swamp Rd.  
Sparta NC 28675

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	County	Year Organized	Year Pastor Came	AM Worship Service Attendance	Total Baptisms	Other Additions	Total Membership	Resident Membership
Bellview	Rev. Darien South 435 SUNNYVIEW LANE FLEETWOOD NC 28626	Alleghany	1896	2002	50	0	1	116	78
Laurel Spings	Rev. Dana Hines 284 Monteith Acres Road Hays NC 28635-8054	Alleghany	1891	1993	50	2		75	44
Liberty	Rev. Ralph Smith 376 Clay Bank Road West Jefferson NC 28694	Alleghany	1886	1972	45	2	0	85	58
Mount Carmel	Rev. Everette R. Shaw 783 Shawtown Road Glade Valley NC 28627	Alleghany	1884	1952	49	5		211	197
Osborne Memorial	Rev. Russell Mabe 152 Holder Street Hays NC 28635	Alleghany	1943	1988	57	5	9	113	83
	TOTALS				268	12	10	600	460

Table B-SUNDAY SCHOOL

Associaitonal Sunday School Director

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Associational Sunday School Director																
CHURCHES		S.S. DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES														
Bellview		Mr. Chris Ashley	1194 County Line Road Laurel Springs NC 28644	152	6	6	7	3	10	12	3	5	1	35	130	
Laurel Spings		Mr. David Taylor	1036 Peach Bottom Road Laurel Springs NC 28644	142	2	4	5	5	4	10	6	3	3	30	2	44
Liberty		Mr. Larry Delp	1532 Stratford Road Sparta NC 28675	137	3	4	2	3	3	12	1	8	1	20	7	39
Mount Carmel		Mr. James Gillespie	7133 Glade Valley Road Ennice NC 28623	1109	16	10	3	16	19	25	20	140	10	93		
Osborne Memorial		Mr. Bob Richardson	1493 Spicer Mountain Road Sparta NC 28675	63	3	6	5	5	4	10	12	12	6	48	38	
TOTALS				1303	14	36	29	19	37	63	45	48	7	173	19	344

Table C- DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

	Total	Ongoing Discipleship Training	Ongoing Preschool Birth - 5	Ongoing Children 6 - 11	Ongoing Youth 12 - 17	Ongoing Adult 18 & Up	General Officers
Bellview							
Laurel Spings							
Liberty							
Mount Carmel	13					11	2
Osborne Memorial							
TOTALS	13					11	2





Table F-

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Associational Treasurer

Dorothy Brooks

4084 Walnut Branch Church Road

Sparta, NC 28675

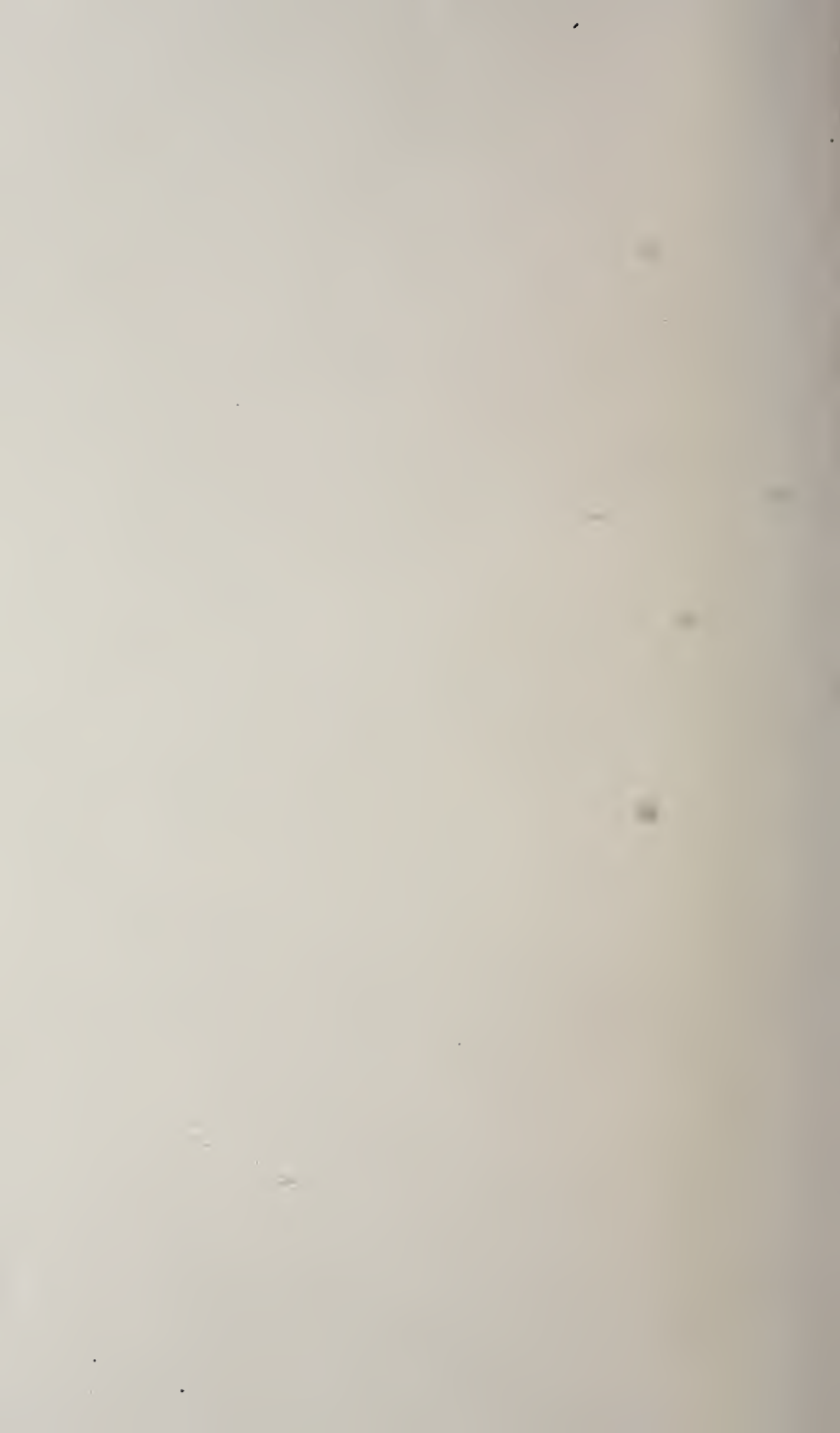
## CHURCHES | TREASURERS &amp;

## ADDRESSES

	Undesignated Gifts	Designated Gifts	Other Receipts	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	State Missions	Annie Armstrong	Lottie Moon	Other SBC Missions	Non-SBC Missions	Congregational Debt
Bellview	43905	11622	64	100	2722	100	100	100	200	16,426	0
Laurel	40338	7534	1098	200	1200	500	200	500	2100	1,440	0
Springs											
Liberty	12350	580			1000	344	145	100			0
Mount	23070	14248	781		600	846	150			111	0
Carmel											
Osborne	23000	5000			800		175	175			0
Memorial											
TOTALS	142,663	38,984	1943	300	6322	1790	770	875	2300	17997	0







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**Allegheny  
Baptist Association  
of  
North Carolina**

*"The North Carolina Baptist Way  
Living the Faith — Being the Church"*

**One Hundred and Seventh Annual Session**

**Held With**

**Osborne Memorial Baptist Church**

**September 5 and 6, 2003**

**Next Session to be held with**

**Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church**

**September 10 and 11, 2004**



**Preacher:**

**Rev. Everette Shaw**

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**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
**THE ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION**  
**(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)**  
**SEPTEMBER 5 AND 6, 2003**  
**PARTNERS IN THE HARVEST**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

- 7:15 Musical Prelude Wilma Foster
- 7:30 Hymn # 408 *The Banner of the Cross*  
Welcome Rev. Russell Mabe  
Opening Prayer Rev. Everette Shaw
- Roll Call and Seating of Messengers: Bob Richardson  
Bellview Laurel Springs Liberty  
Mount Carmel Osborne Memorial
- Recognition of Guests Bob Richardson
- 7:45 Hymn # 205 *We Praise Thee, O God*
- 7:50 Special Music, Liberty Dennis Joines
- 8:00 Hispanic Mission Report Rev. Santiago Reales
- 8:10 Special Music,  
Mount Carmel Marvin & Betty Shaw
- 8:20 Reports Historian Mary Rector  
Baptist Children's Home Rev. Lloyd Fish
- 8:35 Special Music, Bellview Debbie Joines
- 8:45 Hymn # 155 *Jesus Is All the World to Me*
- 8:50 Special Music Charlie & Luke Sealey
- 9:00 Sermon Rev. Russell Mabe
- Closing Hymn of Fellowship #366 *Blest Be the Tie*  
Benediction Rev. Darien South

**SATURDAY MORNING:**

- 8:50 Musical Prelude Wilma Foster
- 9:00 Devotional Rev. Dana Hines
- 9:10 Hymn # 318 *Count Your Blessings*
- 9:15 Welcome and Recognition of Guests  
Bob Richardson
- 9:20 Reports: Executive Board Bob Richardson  
Treasurer Dorothy Brooks  
Woman's Missionary Union Wilma Foster
- 9:35 Hymn # 257 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*
- 9:40 Reports: Annuity, Vacation Bible School,  
& Director of Missions Ross Wagner
- 9:50 Special Music, Osborne Memorial, Crossbeams
- 10:00 Hymn # 457 *Send the Light*
- 10:05 Reports: Baptist Retirement Homes  
Finance (Budget) Dorothy Brooks  
Youth Gay Scott
- 10:30 Special Music Youth & Children
- 10:50 Nominating Committee Wilma Foster
- 10:55 Hymn # 471 *There's a Land That Is Fairer Than Day*
- 11:00 Memorial Service Dorothy Brooks
- 11:05 Special Music Laurel Springs Church Choir
- 11:15 Sermon Rev. Lester Evans  
Western Area Missionary, BSC-NC  
Benediction & Blessing Rev. Roy Houser  
Lunch



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## **Nominating Committee Report**

### **Officers 2003-2004**

<b>Moderator</b>	<b>Bob Richardson, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Vice-Moderator</b>	<b>Dana Hines, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Clerk</b>	<b>Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Dorothy Brooks, Bellview</b>
<b>Asst. Clerk/Treasurer</b>	<b>Irene Wagner, Liberty</b>
<b>Auditor</b>	<b>Vicky Bartlett, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Historian</b>	<b>Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Pianist</b>	<b>Dorothy Brooks, Bellview</b>
<b>Assistant Pianist</b>	<b>Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Chorister</b>	<b>Buster Story, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Youth Director</b>	<b>Gay Scott, Bellview</b>
<b>Asst. Youth Director</b>	<b>Glenn Somers, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>VBS Director</b>	<b>Ross Wagner, Liberty</b>

### **Nominating Committee**

<b>Wilma Foster, Chairman</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Steven Joines</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Jimmy Gillespie</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Roger Pugh</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>

### **Finance Committee**

<b>Dorothy Brooks, Chairman</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Joann Hoppers</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Jan Shaw</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Reba Osborne</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Shelia Taylor</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>

**Music Committee**

<b>Director</b>	<b>Buster Story, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Asst. Chorister</b>	<b>Amanda Miller, Bellview</b>
<b>Pianist</b>	<b>Dorothy Brooks, Bellview</b>
<b>Asst. Pianist</b>	<b>Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs</b>

**Youth & Children's Home Committee**

<b>Gay Scott, Director</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Glenn Somers, Asst. Director</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Misty Seals</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Sandra Myers</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>

**Missions Development Committee****(ADULTS ON MISSION)**

<b>Dorothy Brooks, Chairman</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Joyce Farley</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Marlene Caudill</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Wanda Cleary</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>

**Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman**

**THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED OF:**

**Officers of the Association, Pastors of Each Church, and  
the following Representatives From Each Church:**

<b>Bellview</b>	<b>Leonard Church and Linda Church</b>
<b>Laurel Springs</b>	<b>Everett Elliott and Ken Kern</b>
<b>Liberty</b>	<b>Dewey Hoppers and Irene Wagner</b>
<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>Jimmy Gillispie and Robert Patrick</b>
<b>Osborne Memorial</b>	<b>Alva Farmer and Bob Richardson</b>

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**ORDINATION COMMITTEE:**

**Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman**                      **Mount Carmel**  
**All Other Pastors in the Association**

**MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION**

**BELLVIEW – Guy Brooks, Dot Brooks, Rev. Darien South .**

**LAUREL SPRINGS – Louise Loggins, Everett Elliott, -**  
**Wilma Foster, Rev. Dana Hines**

**LIBERTY – Dewey Hoppers, Irene Wagner,**  
**Rev. Ralph Smith**

**MOUNT CARMEL – Robert Patrick, Jay Shaw,**  
**Marvin Shaw, Rev. Everette Shaw**

**OSBORNE MEMORIAL – Keith Hawks, Robert Shaw,**  
**Mildred Shaw, Wayne Cleary,**  
**Wanda Cleary,**  
**Rev. Russell Mabe**

**Alleghany Baptist Association  
107<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SESSION**

**Proceedings**

**FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5, 2003**

The Friday evening session of the Association began at 7:15 PM with musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks.

At 7:30 PM the congregation sang "*The Banner of the Cross.*" Rev. Russell Mabe, host pastor, gave the welcome followed by opening prayer by Rev. Everette Shaw.

Moderator Bob Richardson did the roll call and asked for seating of the messengers.

The moderator asked for guests to be recognized. Rev. and Mrs. Santiago Reales, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sealey and their children were welcomed as guests.

The congregation sang "*We Praise Thee, O God.*" Dennis Joines from Liberty Baptist Church gave special music.

Hispanic Mission report was given by Rev. Santiago Reales and his wife. Special Music was performed by Marvin Shaw, Betty Shaw, and Everette Shaw.

Mary Rector, historian, gave the history of Osborne Memorial Missionary Baptist Church. Rev. Everette Shaw seconded her motion to accept the report.

Rev. Lloyd Fish gave a report from the Baptist Children's Homes. Bellview Baptist Church's special music was performed by Debbie Joines.

The association presented Dan Taylor with a certificate for many faithful years on the Executive Board representing Pine Fork Baptist Church and Laurel Springs Baptist Church.

The congregation sang "*Jesus Is All the World.*" Charlie and Luke Sealey sang "*I Am Your Father, I Am Your Son.*" It was very impressive.

Rev. Russell Mabe preached the annual sermon. The congregation sang "Blest Be the Tie." Wayne Cleary did the closing prayer.

## **SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 6, 2003**

The Saturday morning session began at 8:50 AM with a musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks.

Rev. Dana Hines, pastor of Laurel Springs Baptist Church gave the devotional.

The congregation sang "*Count Your Blessings.*" Bob Richardson, Moderator, gave the welcome and recognized Lester Evans, Western Regional Resource Coordinator with the Baptist State Convention.

Bob Richardson gave the Executive Board report that was accepted on the second of Rev. Dana Hines.

Dorothy Brooks gave the treasurer's report which was accepted on the second of Roy Houser.

Wilma Foster gave the WMU report that was accepted on the second of Rev. Dana Hines.

The congregation sang "*My Faith Looks Up to Thee.*" Ross Wagner gave the Annuity Board report, Vacation Bible School report, and the Director of Missions report. After second of Everett Elliott, the reports were accepted.

Special Music was given by Crossbeams from Osborne Memorial. Crossbeams is composed of Wayne Cleary, Bob Richardson, Linda Mabe, and Susan Hawks.

The congregation sang "Send the Light." The Baptist Retirement Homes report was accepted.

Dorothy Brooks gave the proposed budget that was accepted on the second by Wayne Cleary.

Gay Scott gave the Youth report that was carried after the second by Ross Wagner.



Suggestions for the county by the Angelou Group were discussed. Some aspects did not agree with Christian attitudes. The association on motion of Wilma Foster and second of Everett Elliott instructed Ross Wagner to advise the County Commissioners that the association did not approve of some of the language and ideas in the report.

Stephen Mabe from Osborne Memorial Baptist Church and a trio of youth from Laurel Springs Baptist Church provided special music.

Wilma Foster made the Nominating Committee report. Upon her motion and the second of Wayne Cleary recommended officers were elected.

The congregation sang "*There's a Land That Is Fairer Than Day.*" Dorothy Brooks conducted the Memorial Service for the deceased. She sang "*How Great Thou Art.*"

Laurel Springs Baptist Church performed special music. Rev. Lester Evans, Western Regional Resource Coordinator from the Baptist State Convention, preached the morning sermon.

Rev. Roy Houser gave the benediction and the blessing for the meal.

## Osborne Memorial Baptist Church History

Located in the Turkey Knob Community, Osborne Memorial Baptist Church was organized on September 26, 1943. The Turkey Knob School building was purchased and church services were held there for a short while. At a special conference in October, 1943, it was voted to build a house of worship. In the church clerk's Book #1 the following is recorded:

"Whereas it appears to us that there is a real need for a Missionary Baptist Church in this locality, and after prayer for divine guidance and consultation with brethren from other churches, it is resolved that we now enter upon the organization of a church under the name of Osborne Memorial Baptist Church and that we adopt a church covenant, articles of faith, and rules of order as found in the first two pages of this minute book."

The name for the church was selected by a committee composed of Pauline Osborne, Stella Parsons, Blanche Osborne, Anyce Landreth, Evelyn Pettyjohn, and Blanche Young.

On October 13, 1943, a seven member building committee was appointed. These members were Bays Parsons, C. E. Brown, Harry Young, Herbert Osborne, J. H. Pettyjohn, Lee Finney, and Clinton Young. The present church building was constructed on property donated by Mr. and Mrs. Andy Osborne near the Osborne Cemetery. Because the United States was engaged in World War II, building materials were rationed. Congressman R. L. Doughton had to secure the necessary special permits needed in order to build the church.

Mr. John M. Cheek, moderator of the Alleghany Baptist Association, an executive committee member, and the Rev. Bryce Barton assisted in the initial organization of the church.

There were twenty-two members enrolled as the charter members, including the following: James Leff Osborne, Clinton Young, Ray Parlier, Annarae Pettyjohn, Ozena Landreth, Cam Delp, Evelyn Pettyjohn, Mary Kennedy, Bonnie Lee Brown, Pauline Osborne, Wanzoleen Landreth, Blanche Young, C. E. Brown, Bays Parsons, Stella Parsons, Phoebe Cox, Carrie Phipps, and J. H. Pettyjohn. Later, other members were added making sixty-three in charter membership. Charter membership was closed June 4, 1944.

Rev. Bryce Barton was elected pastor; Blanche Young, church clerk; and Mary Kennedy, treasurer.

At the annual session of the Alleghany Baptist Association in 1944, the church made application for membership in the Association. The request was made by Harry Young, Ray Parlier, and C. E. Brown. The church's request was graciously accepted by the Association.

Since the initial organization, Osborne Memorial has maintained an active Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, and other church organizations, always supporting the interests of the Baptist State Convention.

The church is presently supporting Le Roy and Rhonda Benally's mission work in Bloomfield, New Mexico, the Ebenezer Children's Home in Wilkes County, and the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville.

Throughout the years, many improvements have made Osborne Memorial an up-to-date structure. Sunday School rooms were added in the basement in 1955. Dirt was removed by hand using wheelbarrows. Beautiful stained-glass windows replaced the plain glass windows in 1960. Later, a central heating plant was installed. In 1978 the sanctuary was enlarged by adding Sunday School rooms with folding doors.

Rooms and hallways were carpeted. Restrooms were added, as was a well for a water supply. The pews were upholstered in 1981. Extra chairs and tables were purchased for Sunday School rooms in 1983. Ceiling fans were later installed. A covered porch was added, as well as the cemetery driveway and parking lot being paved. In 1995 storm windows were added. In 1997 the roof was replaced. Subflooring and carpet in Sunday School rooms were also replaced due to water damage. Air conditioning was installed in 1998. In 2000 the hot air furnace was replaced. A picnic shelter was completed in 2001. In 2003 a complete new water system was installed.

A number of memorials have been made to the church. The communion set was given in memory of Monroe Osborne by his daughter, Mae Hungate. The communion table, the pulpit scarves, table runner and the picture, "*Head of Christ*," was given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Osborne by their children. The candle altar set was given in memory of Jim Leff Osborne by his children, Dennis and Karla Osborne. The church bell was given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Osborne by their daughter, Pauline Stallings. A podium was given to the church in memory of Teddy Pardue by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Pardue. The "Church Hymnals" were given in memory of Stanley



Osborne by his mother, Mrs. Katy Finney. Additional "Baptist Hymnals" were purchased as a memorial to Mr. E. C. Minnich. The Gethsemane picture was given in memory of Herbert and Fannie Osborne by their children.

Osborne Memorial has ordained three ministers: Rev. Brady Farmer, Rev. Jimmy Warden, and Rev. Bob Murphy. Osborne Memorial has licensed Glenn Somers.

Pastors who have served the church are Rev. Bryce Barton, Rev. Beauford Hash, Rev. Carlie McKnight, Rev. Hayes McClure, Rev. J. T. Pardue, and Rev. Russell Mabe. Rev. McClure's devoted and faithful service covered a period of 28 years. Rev. Russell Mabe, the current pastor, has served the church for the past 15 years. Glenn Somers serves as assistant pastor.

Those who have served as church clerks are: Blanche Young, Carrie Phipps, Stella Parsons, Ray Parlier, Jim Leff Osborne, Raline O. Elledge, and Dennis Osborne. Past and present deacons are Bays Parsons, E.C. Minnich, Herbert Osborne, Clement Osborne, Harry Young, Ray Parlier, Burton Osborne, Bob Richardson, Dennis Osborne, Tim Walker, R. S. Warden, Bill Clevenger, and Wayne Cleary.

The church has furnished an Associational Moderator for the past 17 years.



The Alleghany Missionary Baptist Association is meeting with Osborne Memorial Baptist Church this year, 2003, as part of their 60th year celebration. It is the eighth time in the church's history the Association has met with Osborne Memorial Missionary Baptist Church.

Most of this historical report was originally written by Mrs. A. O. Joines, with information supplied by Mrs. Evelyn Parlier and Mrs. Stella Parsons. Additional information also came from Mrs. T. S. Moxley's report to the 1985 Alleghany Baptist Association. Recent information has been added by Dennis Osborne.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Rector, Historian

### **Executive Board Report**

It seems incredible to me that we are preparing for annual meeting again, but time passes so quickly for me, and I'm sure for you.

Once again, our Lord has blessed our five churches so much. I've heard so much good news, of souls being saved, work with youth, mission projects, and many other ways. We are certainly here to offer our praise and thankfulness for each blessing.

Our Board has had very positive meetings this

year again, each church participating so faithfully in each decision that we needed to make. I am surely blessed to have such dedicated people to work with and to support me in my position. I can never thank them enough.

I was out for a couple of meetings due to an accident. I want to thank everyone for your cards, calls, visits, and for your prayers in my behalf.

I have conveyed to the board my desire to have someone else take this position of Moderator. I have, believe it or not, been here seventeen years. I didn't know it had been that long until Ross and I counted up the years. It has been such a wonderful experience for me to have served with you through these years, but I know there is someone that God will inspire with what His will and direction for this Association is to be. I ask you to pray about this with me. It may be **you** that God needs here.

In closing, I again thank each of you on the board, and every member of our churches for another fantastic year. As we celebrate this annual session, we cannot but give our Lord and Savior all the praise for each accomplishment. May the new year find us faithful to the call in His name.

May God bless each of you,  
Bob Richardson, Moderator

## **Alleghany County Baptist Youth**

The Alleghany County Baptist Youth have participated in the following events this year:

December	<b>Live Nativity</b>	(Osborne Memorial)
January	<b>Cancelled due to snow</b>	
February	<b>Rest Home Visit</b>	(Laurel Springs)
	<b>and Bowling</b>	
March	<b>Lock-in</b>	(Mount Carmel)
April	<b>Community</b>	(Bellview)
	<b>outreach and Bonfire</b>	
May	<b>Walk thru the</b>	(Laurel Springs)
	<b>Old Testament</b>	
June	<b>Baptist Children's</b>	
	<b>Home Picnic at Thomasville</b>	
July	<b>Youth Worship</b>	(Liberty)

Plans are being made for our youth to attend the Christian's Alternative to Halloween concert in Winston-Salem this October.

Thanks to each of you for your support and help this past year. Since each church planned and hosted an event, our youth have participated in and enjoyed various activities. With God's help, next year will be even better.

## Alleghany Baptist Association



*And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.*

**Colossians 3:17**

**CONGRATULATIONS  
CLASS OF  
2003**

## **Bellview Baptist Church 2002 –2003**

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for His many blessings this past year, especially for sending our new pastor, Darien South. Darien brings with him his lovely wife Renee and their three beautiful children. Also, the church rejoiced in the baptism of one of our young people.

The church enjoyed established traditions such as selection of a secret pal; the share-a-meal program; Mothers and Fathers Day luncheons; Christmas activities including neighborhood caroling, a play presented by the youth, and assistance to families in need; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; and Spring, Fall, and youth revivals. In lieu of a fall festival, the youth had a great time at Tweetsie's Ghost Train. Members and guests also enjoyed an Old Fashion Day followed by a poor man's dinner.

Improvements to the church include a new heating/cooling system, a new sound system, refinishing of hardwood flooring in sanctuary (with plans to recover pews) and enhancement of and additions to the children's play area.

Also, the church began having welcome packets for visitors and church bulletins available on Sunday mornings.

The members of Bellview wish to thank God for all He has done and to praise Him for what He will do. We ask all who read this to please pray for our church – that we may be good stewards of His blessings, honor Him in all we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

### **Director of Missions Report**

The Association's five churches have been faithful. The State Convention helped us.

Each church has encouraged me. Vacation Bible Schools, worship services, Bible studies, music, prayer times, trips, and meals were good.

I attended regional and statewide DOM meetings. Associational Revival went well. Giving New Testaments and treat bags to children was a blessing. The Live Nativity was exciting and well attended. We worked with Prison Fellowship to provide Christmas gifts for children in our county. The youth meetings and activities went well. Our annual picnic for children and staff at Mills Home in Thomasville provided a good time for all. Our association did well



in providing food for the Baptist Children's Homes Food Roundup. The Missions Committee met and helped needy neighbors.

Six folks from our association went on a two-day trip to West Virginia to visit in the Allegheny Association there. Rev. Dennis Cherry, Director of Missions, showed us some of the missions projects that their association is involved in. The trip went well.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Ross Wagner, D.O.M.

### **Laurel Springs Baptist Church Highlights 2002 – 2003**

The song, "*When We Walk With the Lord*" comes to mind as we think of the "*Walk Thru the Bible*" seminars held in May and July. A great time was had and many blessings were received.

We are encouraged in our worship services. The choir is a blessing, and they presented many of their favorite songs on the last Sunday in June. The Elliott Brothers, along with "The Last Generation" sang to a capacity crowd August 24. In May "The Heavenly Echoes" were a blessing with their sweet harmony.

We trust the Lord will use these gospel singings as an outreach for the church and community.

The choir purchased new song books with a donation from generous friends of the church, Jay and Joyce Curtis. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis also furnished a Barbecue meal for the church on August 17. They were presented with one of the new song books during the worship service.

Blessings and memories come to mind as we shared in fellowship at Easter with Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church. This year they blessed us with their newly formed Hand Bell Choir.

We appreciate the sweet fellowship with our churches in the Association. May we all keep encouraging each other by our walk with the Lord, and always strive to be in His Will.

### **Laurel Springs Woman's Missionary Union**

Laurel Springs WMU continues to be strong with good attendance at monthly meetings where a Mission Bible Study is given and mission projects are emphasized.

Membership continues to increase, and we are happy to have regular representation from Liberty.

Mission projects are ongoing for local as well as state and foreign missions including personal support gifts to the four missionaries this church gives special support to.

The ladies of the WMU, as well as others in the church who cannot attend the meetings, willingly give of themselves to serve our Lord in many ways throughout the year.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster

## **Laurel Springs Baptist Youth**

### **Christmas Play**

The play was a great success. We started in October preparing and by November practices began. As usual everyone was apprehensive that we would not be ready. This was the longest play we have attempted but it was very good. The participants put a lot of hard work and time into it.

Jonathan Bingsley (the rich widower played by Everett Elliott) found that taking in needy children temporarily is not easy. It is not easy to let them go and hard not to learn from them. He became a Christian during their stay and learned the real meaning of what his deceased wife had tried to tell him about Jesus.

### **Walk thru the Old and New Testament**

We had 2 Seminars and some of you attended them as well. Thanks for your participation. The New Testament was the theme of our Bible School. It was the best we ever had. We had over 100 total walk through during the week and many interested in Salvation. We learned 77 people, places, and events in chronological order and were left with a challenge to read our Bibles Daily and have a quiet time with the Lord.

### **Additional Events**

**Fellowship: Bowling & Pizza Suppers,  
Witnessing: Nursing Home Visit,  
sending items to New York City  
& Samaritans Purse Shoe Boxes.**

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## **Liberty Baptist Church Highlights 2002 –2003**

A sound system was donated by Colonel and Marie Holbrook in memory of his sister, Bernice Hoover; and in honor of his late sister, Blanche Brady.

The basement steps were repaired. Material and labor were donated by Brother Arvie and Sister Lynn Perry.

We hosted about 85 people from a church in Florida for Sunday Service. It was a real blessing to have such a large group of young people.

We had a good Vacation Bible School and hosted one night of the fall Associational Revival.

We were represented at the Live Nativity and the cookout at the Children's Home.

## **Mount Carmel Baptist Church**

### **Mt. Camel Church**

Fall 2002, church remodeling was completed with the pulpit and choir area raised on a hardwood floor. The cemetery fence was replaced and the cemetery plotted. The parking lot was sealed and stripped.

- Three people made profession following worship service invitations this past year and one person joined by letter.

- Deacon Walter Crouse Sr. passed away in May. Funeral services were held at Grandview with internment at Mt. Carmel. Walter had been a deacon at Mt. Carmel since 1931.

- Evening Adult Bible studies were started August 17<sup>th</sup>. "*Life Builders – Building for Eternity*" is the title of the series. Terry Motts from the Campus Crusade for Christ in Harrisburg NC will meet periodically with the group as they progress through the 18-month study program.

- The Alleghany Association Fall Revival was held at Mt. Carmel on October 17<sup>th</sup>. The church choir, Betty & Marvin Shaw, the pastors' group including Ross Wagner sang.

- Decoration Service at Mt. Carmel cemetery was held on July 6<sup>th</sup>. Communion and Foot Washing service was held on August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

- August 24<sup>th</sup> was the Mt. Carmel revival with Pastor Anon Cole preaching.



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### Fellowship Events:

- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship service singing groups with a fellowship dinner continued this year. Meals were taken to homebound church members. The singing groups were: Morning of Glory, Sounds of Victory, Gospel Sounds, and the Catron Family.

- In November, Mt. Carmel supported a fund-raising singing and spaghetti supper for Gaye & Junior Blevins to help cover both their medical expenses.

- In April, the WMU organized a fundraising event with hotdogs & auction for Ruth Ellen & Bruce Wood to help with Ruth Ellen's medical expenses.

- In August, the WMU sponsored a church jubilee for the community with hamburgers, hotdogs, games for the children and gospel singers.

### Holiday Events:

- The church & youth participated in the Franklin Graham Operation Shoebox event and sent 24 boxes to the Boone collection site.

- Church members & youth performed the Alleghany Association Live Nativity on December 7<sup>th</sup> at Trojan Village Shopping Center. The youth group & their parents dressed as Mary, Joseph, shepherds & the 3 kings. The church choir sang and Pastor Shaw read Luke 2:1-32. The WMU provided hot refreshments at Inside Additions.

- A Thanksgiving/Christmas fellowship dinner open to the public was enjoyed by everyone on December 11<sup>th</sup>.

- The New Years Eve tradition of "Singin' Out the Old & In the New" continued with Morning of Glory, New Joy, Mack & Martha Edwards, Marvin and Betty Shaw, Shaw Brothers, and the church choir singing.

- Easter Sunrise service was held on April 20<sup>th</sup> with fellowship breakfast following the service. Over 50 people attended service and breakfast.

- May 11<sup>th</sup>, the church honored the oldest and youngest mothers at both Sunday School and Worship service.

### Youth Activities

- The Youth Group sold crafts at the Sparta Fall Festival on September 28<sup>th</sup>; face painting, hair braiding, & hair wraps were also part of the successful fundraising event.
- Seventeen youth & adults attended the Michael Combs alternative to Halloween concert at Winston-Salem coliseum. Children dressed as Bible figures and received a bag of candy.
- The youth performed the Christmas Play "*The Friendly Beasts*" on December 8<sup>th</sup>. They provided a notepad gift for everyone attending so that our gift to Jesus could be written down and put under the Christmas tree. The church choir sang, Betty & Marvin Shaw sang "*When Santa Clause got Saved*" and Santa entered and prayed at the altar before gifts, candy & fruit were shared with the audience.
- On February 23, Chase Wood with parents Roger & Kathy Wood received the Cub Scout "God in Family" medal by Pastor Shaw.
- Pastor Appreciation Sunday was held February 23<sup>rd</sup> with the children singing 'Happy Birthday' as Everette opened gifts and cards.

- The Youth Group sponsored a sleepover/lock-in at the church for the Alleghany Association on March 28<sup>th</sup>. Thirty-six children and 6 adults enjoyed the event. Osborne Memorial attended with one adult and 7 children. Ross Wagner from Liberty also attended. Christian videos, pizza, snacks & sodas were enjoyed by all.
- The Boy Scouts with support from Roger and Kathy Wood, Zach & Chase collected 590 cans of foods for the Mt. Carmel Food Closet.
- On Mother's Day, the Sunday School classes gave key chains and ribbon wrapped flower pots of petunias to all mothers. On Father's Day cards were handmade by the classes as gifts for fathers.

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*Memorial Service*

BELLVIEW.....NONE

LAUREL SPRINGS.....NONE

LIBERTY.....NONE

MOUNT CARMEL.....

Mr. Roy Ayers

Mr. Wayne Blevins

Mr. Walter Crouse, Sr.

Mr. Bert Davis

Mrs. Virginia Davis

Mrs. Ertie Jane Crouse Klock

Mrs. Annie Balckburn Lyons

Mr. Sherman Rash

Mrs. Zola Cheek Stepp

OSBORNE MEMORIAL.....NONE



Mr. Roy Ayers  
Mount Carmel



Mr. Walter Crouse, Sr.  
Mount Carmel Deacon



Mr. Sherman Rash  
Mount Carmel



Mr. Wayne Blevins  
Mount Carmel





Mrs. Ertie Jane Crouse Klock  
Mount Carmel



Mrs. Annie Blackburn Lyons  
Mount Carmel

Mr. Bert Davis and  
Mrs. Virginia Davis  
Mount Carmel

Mrs. Zola Cheek Stepp  
Mount Carmel



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**Vacation Bible School:**

VBS was held July 13-18<sup>th</sup>. The theme was “*Trailblazers – Following Our Faithful God.*” A covered wagon treasure chest and “Rusty the Puppet” introduced the discovery of Jesus series. The average attendance was 70 with a Friday night attendance of 79. The Junior Class invited the church to join a prayer chain (represented by paper clips). The prayers and clips wound around the church as a visual image of the power of prayer. VBS ended with a special prayer by Pastor Shaw and the singing of *Amazing Grace*.

**Mount Carmel WMU 2003**

WE HAD A VERY PRODUCTIVE 2003 PASTOR APPRECIATION, WE HAD DINNER AFTER SERVICE IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. WE GAVE OUR PASTOR, EVERETTE SHAW, A GIFT CERTIFICATE FOR GOLF THIS CELEBRATED 51 YEARS.

WE HAD A FUNDRAISER FOR RUTH WOOD TO HELP WITH MEDICAL EXPENSES. IT WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL AND VERY APPRECIATED.

TO THE BAPTIST CHILDRENS HOME, WE SENT FOOD, TOYS, AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

THE SUMMER JUBILEE BEGAN WITH A 1 MILE PARADE TO THE CHURCH WHERE FREE GAMES, FREE PRIZES, FREE FOOD, HOMEMADE ICE CREAM, AND MUCH MUCH MORE AWAITED OVER 200 PEOPLE. WE HAD SINGING FROM THE SHAW BROTHERS, NEW JERUSALEM, HERB THOMAS AND THE BEACONS, AND MARVIN AND BETTY. WE HOPE THIS TO BE AN ANNUAL EVENT.

#### AUGUST BROUGHT ELECTION

PRESIDENT - RUTH ELLEN WOOD  
VICE-PRESIDENT - MARLENE CAUDILL  
SEC. - BRENDA BLEVINS  
TRES. - JOYCE SHAW

WE SUPPLIED FOOD TO THE SICK AND BEREAVED AND SENT MANY CARDS OF LOVE AND PRAYER.

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**Finance Committee Report  
2003 -2004**

	<b>2002-2003 Budget</b>	<b>Proposed 2003-2004 Budget</b>
<b>DOM Salary</b>	<b>\$ 6,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,000.00</b>
<b>Social Security</b>	<b>\$ 459.00</b>	<b>\$ 459.00</b>
<b>Telephone</b>	<b>\$ 350.00</b>	<b>\$ 350.00</b>
<b>Travel &amp; Seminars</b>	<b>\$ 240.00</b>	<b>\$ 240.00</b>
<b>Evangelism &amp; Church Training</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>
<b>Youth</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 800.00</b>
<b>WMU</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>
<b>Printing Minutes</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 300.00</b>
<b>Missions</b>	<b>\$ 2,500.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,100.00</b>
<b>Operating Expense</b>	<b><u>\$ 400.00</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 500.00</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$11,149.00</b>	<b>\$11,149.00</b>

## **Osborne Memorial Baptist Church**

Bible study is held on the first Sunday night of the month. On the third Sunday, the church visits and sings at the nursing home. Communion is observed at Christmas and Easter. Coins for Kids helped children in New Mexico and at Baptist Children's Homes. Osborne Memorial participated in the associational revival. During December, the church went Christmas caroling, did a Christmas program, had a float in the Christmas parade, and organized the associational youth's Live Nativity. A sunrise service was held on Easter Sunday. We helped with the associational youth picnic at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville. Vacation Bible School and a Carowinds trip were held in July. In August, the church observed Homecoming and did a cookout for the children. Three church members went to Summersville, West Virginia to look at missions opportunities.



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**TREASURER'S REPORT 09/01/02 – 08/31/03****BALANCE AS OF 09/01/02** **\$4,606.95****RECEIPTS**

08/26/02 Interest	1.83
09/01/02 Bellview	148.25
09/03/02 Baptist State Convention	146.00
09/20/02 Mount Carmel	150.00
09/23/02 Skyline Capital Credit	24.08
09/26/02 Interest	1.92
10/01/02 Baptist State Convention	146.00
10/06/02 Bellview	214.63
10/09/02 Osborne Memorial	200.00
10/27/02 Interest	1.61
11/01/02 Baptist State Convention	146.00
11/10/02 Bellview	163.59
11/12/02 Laurel Springs	<u>300.00</u>
11/28/02 Interest	1.72
12/12/02 Baptist State Convention	146.00
12/26/02 Interest	1.27
01/02/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
01/02/03 Mount Carmel	150.00
01/10/03 BSC (10% of State Missions Offering)	21.37
01/20/03 Bellview	360.82
01/28/03 Interest	1.40
01/29/03 Osborne Memorial	200.00
02/03/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
02/11/03 Bellview	<u>178.58</u>

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02/27/03 Interest	1.26
03/03/03 Bellview	122.14
03/03/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
03/03/03 Osborne Memorial	200.00
03/26/03 Interest	1.07
04/01/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
04/24/03 Interest	1.07
05/01/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
05/11/03 Bellview	661.11
05/27/03 Interest	<u>.90</u>
06/01/03 Bellview	236.46
06/02/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
06/11/03 Laurel Springs	600.00
06/25/03 Interest	.67
06/29/03 Bellview	282.24
07/01/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
07/19/03 Osborne Memorial	200.00
07/24/03 Interest	.36
07/29/03 Liberty	1,000.00
08/01/03 Bellview	204.74
08/01/03 Laurel Springs	300.00
08/01/03 Baptist State Convention	125.00
08/20/03 Mount Carmel	300.00
08/26/03 Interest	<u>.34</u>

**TOTAL RECEIPTS****\$7,817.43**

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**GRAND TOTAL****\$12,424.38****TREASURER'S REPORT 09/01/02 – 08/31/03  
DISBURSEMENTS**

## #1041 VOID

09/03/02 #1042 (38.28) Lost Replaced by #1049	
09/07/02 #1043 (Dennis Cherry – Travel)	200.00
09/07/02 #1044 T. R. Wagner (Grayson Inn)	105.00
09/08/02 #1045 A.H.S.-Youth-Yearbook Ad	150.00
09/12/02 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.59
09/17/02 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
09/20/02 #1046 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
09/20/02 #1047 T.R. Wagner (Office)	87.31
10/01/02 #1048 IRS – Third Quarter	220.34
10/11/02 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	27.21
10/16/02 #1049 Tri-County Awards & Signs	37.28
10/17/02 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
10/20/02 #1050 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
11/12/02 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.26
11/17/02 Automatic – Annuity Board	<u>20.00</u>
11/18/02 #1052 T.R. Wagner	170.00
(Office 109.53, Travel 60.47)	
11/18/02 #1053 Prison Fellowship (Missions)	50.00
11/18/02 #1054 American Bible (Missions)	337.16
11/18/02 #1055 Blue R. Electric (Missions)	50.00
11/20/02 #1051 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75

12/12/02 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.85
12/18/02 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
12/18/02 #1056 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
01/13/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	29.47
01/16/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
01/20/03 #1057 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
01/20/03 #1058 T.R. Wagner (Missions)	50.77
01/27/03 #1059 IRS – Fourth Quarter	229.50
02/14/03 #1060 Postmaster (P O Box Rent)	36.00
02/14/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	27.31
02/16/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
02/23/03 #1061 Trojan Bowling (Youth)	105.94
02/23/03 #1062 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	<u>441.75</u>
03/12/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	32.71
03/16/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
03/19/03 #1064 Quill (Office)	49.21
03/19/03 #1065 T.R. Wagner (Travel)	39.00
03/20/03 #1063 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
04/11/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	29.05
04/11/03 #1066 IRS – First Quarter	229.50
04/17/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
04/20/03 #1067 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
04/20/03 #1068 BSC (Jesus Videos- Youth)	150.00
04/20/03 #1069 Halsey Drug (Missions)	38.00
05/12/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	29.21
05/15/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00

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05/14/03 #1070 Alleghany Church	100.00
Relief Fund (Missions)	
05/20/03 #1071 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
05/27/03 #1072 A.H.S. (Yearbook-Youth)	<u>40.00</u>
06/12/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.10
06/17/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
06/20/03 #1073 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
06/27/03 #1074 Gay Scott	177.39
(BCH Picnic – Youth)	
07/12/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.33
07/15/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
07/21/03 #1075 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
07/21/03 #1076 T.R. Wagner	166.54
(Travel \$102, Office 64.54)	
07/24/03 #1077 Kerr Drug (Missions)	21.98
07/24/03 #1078 IRS – Second Quarter	229.50
08/01/03 #1079 Copy Express (Minutes)	212.99
08/12/03 Automatic Deduction – Skyline	28.30
08/15/03 Automatic – Annuity Board	20.00
08/19/03 #1080 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	<u>441.75</u>

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS      \$9,169.80**

**BALANCE AS OF 08/31/03                      \$3,254.58**

## Vacation Bible School

All five churches held VBS. Bellview's theme was *Fun on the Farm*. *The S-FILES* was Liberty's theme. Laurel Springs used *Walk thru the New Testament*. Mount Carmel explored *Trailblazers*. Osborne Memorial learned about *Treasures of the Nile*. Folks in each church worked hard so that children, youth, and adults could learn more about Jesus.



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## BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION REPORTS

### Baptist Children's Homes (Shorter Version of Report)

*Baptists make a difference...* This summer Baptist Children's Homes had a very special guest on the Mills Home campus in Thomasville. Many Baptists will remember Patricia Sutherland. She has shared her story at multiple state conventions, and her life has been shared in *Charity & Children* on a couple of occasions. Patricia is a beautiful young woman and a rising senior at Toccoa Falls College in northern Georgia. Looking at Patricia today, you would not recognize her as the same little girl who came to Baptist Children's Homes 11 years ago.

As a young child she lived with abusive, alcoholic and drug-addicted parents who forced her to lie about their abuse. The little girl was threatened with a pistol to her head and made to sleep on cold hardwood floors. Her abuse and neglect were compounded by a severe medical condition. Because her parents were unable to properly care for Patricia, she went months at a time without the daily medication she so desperately needed.

Then one day, Patricia found the security she had longed for at our Broyhill Home in Clyde. But even at Broyhill Home her life wasn't easy. Patricia has Turner's syndrome, a condition affecting her balance and coordination and stunting her growth. Because she was awkward and clumsy, other children made fun of her at school. But her physical problems only seemed to make her stronger.

While at Mills Home this summer, Patricia was asked to share her story with the girls on campus. She boldly assured them that God has a plan for their life. But then she challenged the girls by telling them it is their choice. They can put their past behind them and trust God and follow His lead, or they can wander through life lost.

Because of your help, children like Patricia are rescued from the jaws of hopelessness and despair, set on solid ground, supported by loving Christian men and women, and are given hope so they can realize their dreams – dreams that at one time in their lives, they could never imagine were possible.

***Baptists Respond to Needs Donating Towels, Bedding and Food***

***14,640 Baptists Pray for North Carolina Children.***

***BCH Hosts National Child Care Executive Meeting.***

***Historic Ice Storm Wreaks Havoc.***

***North Carolina Baptist Church Donates Property and \$100,000 to Help Build a New Group Home for Developmentally Disabled Adults.***

***Baptist Children's Homes Faces Serious Financial Challenges.***

***BCH... Focused on the Future.*** Despite the trying times, Baptist Children's Homes continues to be committed to providing only the highest quality of service. Children who come through BCH's doors continue to receive an abundance of love, care and healing. A dedicated staff serves and gives of

themselves sacrificially. The lives of children and families are worth every effort. Although facing critical financial times, BCH holds true to its mission of ***“helping hurting children...healing broken families.”***

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Missions giving, church and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables BCH to provide care for more than 2000 children through our locations across the state. ***Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for your continued prayers and support. We could not do what we do without you.***

Michael C. Blackwell, President

James D. Goldston, III, Board of Trustees Chair

Fall 2003

## **Baptist Hospital**

### **(Shorter Version of Report)**

## **BAPTIST HOSPITAL AND NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS; EXTENDING THE HEALING TOUCH OF CHRIST**

North Carolina Baptist Hospital admitted its first patient on May 30, 1923, culminating a vision of the Baptist State Convention to extend the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Eighty years later, in 2003, we remain firmly committed to the original mission of providing the highest quality medical care marked by excellence, integrity, innovation, and compassion consistent with the teachings of Christ. This report highlights our partnership in missions with North Carolina Baptists.

## BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

The Convention established the annual Mother's Day Offering in 1924 to help patients in financial need pay their hospital bills, to lift heavy burdens in the name of Jesus Christ and his love. Since that time every dollar of every gift has been used for that purpose – caring for children like Haleigh in her battle with cancer, and adults like Wade and Vickie. You have made a tremendous difference in their lives and many others just like them. Please read their inspiring stories of thankfulness in the new Mother's Day Offering web site ([www.ncbhmothersday.org](http://www.ncbhmothersday.org)). **Thank you**, North Carolina Baptists, for giving \$600,372 to this ministry in 2002!

## SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

*The fruits of Cooperative Giving* by North Carolina Baptists are evidenced in life-changing ministries of the School of Pastoral Care. Our mission is *"to provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ."* **Thank you**, North Carolina Baptists, for extending the healing reach of Christ to thousands of hurting people through our ministries.

**Baptist Hospital CareNet Counseling Centers**, our **Department of Pastoral Counseling**, annually provides over 24,500 hours of counseling at 22 locations across our state...

**The Center for Congregational Health** has continued to develop vital ministries.

**The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education** provides ministry to patients, families, and staff through more than 61,000 contacts each year...

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**The Department of Church and Community Relations** receives no Cooperative Program funds, but serves as a vital liaison to N.C. Baptist churches. The department ministers to over 150 Baptists per year by facilitating physician appointments or helping others with concerns about medical bills. Many of those who are helped have no health insurance and are burdened by financial need.

***Ministry to Ministers and Their Families –***

Baptist Hospital provides a *subsidy of up to 25%* for the hospital bills of N. C. Baptist ministers and their families.

The ***Ministers Care Plan*** provides a subsidy to full-time, ordained ministers serving North Carolina Baptist churches ...

***A new facility for our Comprehensive Cancer Center*** is under construction and due to open in June 2004.

***Information and Appointments***

To make an appointment for yourself or a family member with a physician, or to receive information on health related issues, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 316-716-2255.

**CLOSING WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT**

The initial vision of North Carolina Baptists to extend the healing touch of Christ has unfolded in remarkable ways at Baptist Hospital over the past 80 years. As Christ ministered to those who were broken in body, mind, or spirit and made them whole, we continually strive to follow his example.



We consider it a sacred responsibility and profound privilege to serve him in this mission of healing. We are thankful to you, North Carolina Baptists, for being our partners in ministry.

Respectfully submitted,

Len B. Preslar, Jr.

President

North Carolina Baptist Hospital

### **Baptist Retirement Homes**

**(Shorter Version of Report)**

***Making Life for Older Adults... the "Best of Times"***

Baptist Retirement Homes continues to move forward with strength in meeting the needs of North Carolina's fastest growing age group... its senior population. Of particular interest to North Carolina Baptists, are the growing numbers of Older Adults who deal with dementia-related conditions such as Alzheimer's Disease. In North Carolina, approximately 50 percent of those who reach age 85 struggle with some measure of dementia. The Kulynych Memory Enhanced Residence at the Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem, the Fowler Memory Enhanced Residence at the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville, and the Memory Enhanced Residence at the Gardens of Taylor Glen Retirement Community provide environments designed to "enhance" and "retain" the short and long-term memory of those struggling with such disorders. The Hamilton Baptist Home and The Taylor House also provide exceptional programs for Older Adults with dementia.



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Because of the generous financial support received from North Carolina Baptists for the convention's "poor elderly" population, Baptist Retirement Homes has been able to provide more than \$1.7 million in benevolent care in 2002. Thank You, North Carolina Baptists!

BRH Phone 336.725.0202 Website [www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)

**The Baptist Elder Care Network – 1.800.887.7410**

**Council on Christian Higher Education**  
**Baptist State Convention of North Carolina**  
**(Shorter Version of Report)**

Christian higher education represents one of the enduring values of the Baptist State Convention. Since it's founding in 1830, North Carolina Baptists have supported Christian higher education through gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget, Baptist State Convention.

Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, and Wingate are institutions of Christian distinction. Each considers their Baptist witness to be a hallmark of their institutional mission.

Last year six hundred eighty-seven (687) North Carolina Baptists received special scholarship aid made possible by your gifts to the Convention. This group represents five hundred four (504) different churches and seventy-three (73) different associations.

**Council on Christian Higher Education**  
**Baptist State Convention of North Carolina**

**Chowan College**

800-488-4101

[www.chowan.edu](http://www.chowan.edu)

Dr. M. Christopher White  
Interim President

**Campbell University**

800-334-4111

[www.campbell.edu](http://www.campbell.edu)

Dr. Jerry M. Wallace  
President

**Gardner-Webb University**

800-253-6472

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**Mars Hill College**

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[www.mhc.edu](http://www.mhc.edu)

Dr. Dan G. Lunsford  
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Dr. Jerry E. McGee  
President

October 8, 2003

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I have examined the financial records of the Alleghany County Baptist Association for fiscal years 2001-2002 and 2002-2003. I found them to be well maintained and accurate.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Vickie P. Bartlett". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Vickie P. Bartlett  
Auditor

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Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex
1. 1886, Sep. 24-25	Buffalo	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I G.W. Greene	I James Eller
2. 1887, Sep. 22-24	New Hope	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I S.M. Collins	I James Eller
3. 1888, Sep. 6-8	Apple Grove	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Honeycutt	I James Eller
4. 1889, Sep. 12-14	Landmark	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
5. 1890, Sep. 18-20	Jefferson	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I J.F. Fletcher	I James Eller
6. 1891, Sep. 17-19	Sparta	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I F.B. Cheek	I James Eller
7. 1892, Sep. 15-17	Bethel	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I D.J. Harris	I James Eller
8. 1893, Sep. 14-16	Apple Grove	I T.M. Duncan	I H.A. Eller	I W.H. Glenn	I James Eller
9. 1894, Sep. 13-15	Healing Springs	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I E. Tucker	I James Eller
10. 1895, Oct. 3-5	Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I R.L. Shoaf	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
11. 1896, Oct. 1-3	Brushy Fork	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E. Blevins	I J.H. Doughton
12. 1897, Sep. 28-30	Forest Home	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E.F. Tatum	I H.A. Eller
1. 1897, Nov. 5	Sparta	I J.H. Doughton	I J.M. Wagoner	I E. Tucker	I J.H. Doughton
2. 1898, Oct. 7-9	Brush Crk. (Va.)	I L.D. Vaughan	I J.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I T.R. Windsor
3. 1899, Sep. 7-9	Laurel Springs	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I R.K. Johnson	I R.L. Doughton
4. 1900, Sep. 6-8	New Hope	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I James Shumate	I R.L. Doughton
5. 1901, Sep. 5-7	Pine Fork	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I C.M. Rock	I R.L. Doughton
6. 1902, Sep. 11-13	Sparta	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I L.D. Vaughan	I R.L. Doughton
7. 1903, Sep. 10-12	Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I T.R. Windsor	I J.W. Burchett	I R.L. Doughton

8.1904, Sep. 8-10	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I E. Blevins	I W.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I J.F. Cheek
9.1905, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I L.M. Holloway	I W.C. Fields
10.1906, Sep. 7-9	I New Hope	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I E. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
11.1907, Sep. 6-8	I Pine Fork	I E. Blevins	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
12.1908, Sep. 10-12	I Pleasant G. (Va.)	I J.F. Fletcher	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
13.1909, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I R.L. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I R.L. Doughton
14.1910, Sep. 9-11	I Laurel Springs	I W.L. Hoppers	I H.C. Edwards	I W.L. Hoppers	I R.L. Doughton
15.1911, Sep. 8-10	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I D.S. Hubble	I R.L. Doughton
16.1912, Sep. 6-8	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
17.1913, Sep. 12-14	I Chestnut Grove	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Jno. E. Ray	I B.E. Reeves
18.1914, Sep. 11-13	I Pine Fork	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I	I W.F. Doughton
19.1915, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I L.B. Murray	I B.E. Reeves
20.1916, Sep. 8-10	I Mt. Carmel	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I C.M. Cope	I G.T. Caudill
21.1917, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I G.M. Reeves	I W.F. Doughton
22.1918, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I S.L. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
23.1919, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I J.F. Roberts	I W.A. Hash	I R.L. Doughton
24.1920, Sep. 10-12	I Chestnut Ridge	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Jones	I Coy Blackburn	I R.L. Doughton
25.1921, Sep. 9-11	I Pine Fork	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I W.L. Hoppers	I John M. Cheek
26.1922, Sep. 8-10	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I C.E. Maddry	I John M. Cheek
27.1923, Sep. 7-9	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I A. Lamonds	I John M. Cheek
28.1924, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
29.1925, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I John M. Cheek	I N.C. Teague	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
30.1926, Sep. 10-12	I New Hope	I John M. Cheek	I W.B. Reeves	I N.C. Teague	I John M. Cheek
31.1927, Sep. 9-11	I Bellview	I W. Franklin	I W.F. Jones	I W. Franklin	I J.T. Fender
32.1928, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I J.M. Page	I R.A. Wagoner
33.1929, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I A. Hayes	I R.A. Wagoner
34.1930, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I E. Whisenhunt	I R.A. Wagoner



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35. 1931, Sep. 11-13	Laurel Springs	W.F. Doughton	J.L. Underwood	J.L. Underwood	I M.E. Reeves
36. 1932, Sep. 9-11	New Hope	W.F. Doughton	J.L. Underwood	T.M. Hayes	I M.E. Reeves
37. 1933, Sep. 8-10	Belview	W.F. Doughton	J.T. Fender	C.H. McKnight	I John M. Cheek
38. 1934, Sep. 7-9	Liberty	J.K. Blum	J.T. Fender	I.G.A. Martin	I T.R. Burgiss
39. 1935, Sep. 6-8	Mt. Carmel	J.K. Blum	J.T. Fender	S.L. Blevins	I F.W. Royal
40. 1936, Sep. 12-14	Scottville	I F.W. Royall	J.T. Fender	S.L. Naff	I A.O. Joines
41. 1937, Sep. 10-12	Pine Fork	I F.W. Royall	J.T. Fedner	C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
42. 1938, Sep. 9-11	Sparta	I A.O. Joines	Van Miller	H.J. Ford	I John M. Cheek
43. 1939, Sep. 8-10	Chestnut Grove	I A.O. Joines	Van Miller	J.M. Hayes	I John M. Cheek
44. 1940, Sep. 6-8	Laurel Springs	I A.O. Joines	Van Miller	S.L. Blevins	I John M. Cheek
45. 1941, Sep. 12-14	New Hope	I A.O. Joines	Van Miller	A.C. Ashley	I John M. Cheek
46. 1942, Sep. 12-13	Belview	I F.W. Royall	Van Miller	I.N.M. Greene	I W.F. Doughton
47. 1943, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	I John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.W.T. Whittington	I W.F. Doughton
48. 1944, Sep. 9-10	Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	Van Miller	R.H. Satterfield	I W.F. Doughton
48. 1945, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	I John M. Cheek	Van Miller	E.B. Barton	I W.F. Doughton
50. 1946, Sep. 7-8	Osborne Memorial	I John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.W.H. Caldwell	I W.F. Doughton
51. 1947, Sep. 13-14	Scottville	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I C Gwaltney	I W.F. Doughton
52. 1948, Sep. 11-12	Pine Fork	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Doughton
53. 1949, Sep. 10-11	Laurel Springs	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.J.G. Goodman	I W.F. Doughton
54. 1950, Sep. 9-10	New River	I Van F. Miller	I.W.K. Sprinkle	I.F.G. Walker	I W.F. Doughton
55. 1951, Sep. 8-9	New Hope	I Van F. Miller	I.J.B. Reed	I Fred Blevins	I Van F. Miller
56. 1952, Sep. 13-14	Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I.E.V. Bumgarner	I W.F. Doughton
57. 1953, Sep. 12-13	Belview	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I.H.J. Ford	I W.F. Doughton



58. 1954, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
59. 1955, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I R.R. Campbell	I A.O. Joines
60. 1956, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I Audley Frazier	I A.O. Joines
61. 1957, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
62. 1958, Sep. 7-8	I Scottville	I E.C. Minnich	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Earnest Upchurch	I A.O. Joines
63. 1959, Sep. 11-12	I Pine Fork	I Jack W. Byrd	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
64. 1960, Sep. 9-10	I Laurel Springs	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. T. S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
65. 1961, Sep. 8-9	I New River	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. A.E. Sells	I A.E. Sells	I Rev. Jack Byrd
66. 1962, Sep. 7-8	I New Hope	I Van Miller	I Donna Jones	I Cleo Whitney	I Jack W. Byrd
67. 1963, Sep. 6-7	I Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Bobby Elledge	I Ben Reeves
68. 1964, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Jack W. Byrd	I Ben Reeves
69. 1965, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Lewis Williams	I Donna Jones	I James Durham	I Van F. Miller
70. 1966, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bobby Elledge	I Donna Jones	I Jack Richardson	I Van F. Miller
71. 1967, Sep. 9-10	I Osborne Memorial	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Everett Shaw	I J.K. Blum
72. 1968, Sep. 6-7	I Scottville	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Austol Yourmans	I J.K. Blum
73. 1969, Sep. 12-13	I Pine Fork	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I J.T. Pardue	I J.K. Blum
74. 1970, Sep. 11-12	I Laurel Springs	I J.K. Blum	I Irene R. Wagner	I Bobby Elledge	I J.K. Blum
75. 1971, Sep. 10-11	I New River	I Claude Roupe	I Jimmy L. Warden	I Michael Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
76. 1972, Sep. 8-9	I Bellview	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
77. 1973, Sep. 7-8	I Chestnut Grove	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
78. 1974, Sep. 6-7	I New Hope	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
79. 1975, Sep. 12-13	I Sparta	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I James Lambert	I Claude Roupe
80. 1976, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Jimmy Warden	I Micheal Sepaugh
81. 1977, Sep. 9-10	I Liberty	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Bill Ballou	I Micheal Sepaugh
82. 1978, Sep. 8-9	I Osborne Memorial	I Mac Warren	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Dwight Leftwich	I Mac Warren
83. 1979, Sep. 7-8	I Pine Fork	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
84. 1980, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Gene Webb	I Thomas Neville

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TIME	I Church	I MODERATOR	I CLERK	I PREACHER	I Chmn.Ex
85.1981, Sep. 11-12	I New Hope	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
86.1982, Sep. 10-11	I Bellview	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Howard J. Ford	I Glenn Graves
87.1983, Sep. 9-10	I Sparta	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Tom Graves	I Glenn Graves
88.1984, Sep. 7-8	I Mount Carmel	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Jim Lambert	I Glenn Graves
89.1985, Sep. 13-14	I Osborne Memorial	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Roy J. Smith	I Glenn Graves
90.1986, Sep. 12-13	I Liberty	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bill Ballou	I Glenn Graves
91.1987, Sep. 11-12	I Chestnut Grove	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Tom Lolley	I Bob Richardson
92.1988, Sep. 10-11	I Pine Fork	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bill Ballou	I Bob Richardson
93.1989, Sep. 8-9	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bobby Elledge	I Bob Richardson
94.1990, Sep. 14-15	I New Hope	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Larry Atwood	I Bob Richardson
95.1991, Sep. 13-14	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Johnny Huffman	I Bob Richardson
96.1992, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Jack Byrd	I Bob Richardson
97.1993, Sep. 10-11	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I David Finney	I Rev. Jimmy Warden	I Bob Richardson
98.1994, Sep. 9-10	I Mount Carmel	I Bob Richardson	I Karen Sealey	I Rev. Russel Mabe	I Bob Richardson
99.1995, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bob Richardson	I Karen Sealey	I Rev. Bill Yates	I Bob Richardson
100.1996, Sep. 13-14	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Barbara Richardson	I Rev. Dean Adams	I Bob Richardson
101.1997, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I	I Rev. Dana Hines	I Bob Richardson
102.1998, Sep. 11-12	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I	I Rev. Russel Mabe	I Bob Richardson
103.1999, Sep. 10-11	I Mount Carmel	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Everette Shaw	I Bob Richardson
103.2000, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Ralph Smith	I Bob Richardson
104.2001, Sep. 7-8	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Billy Felts	I Bob Richardson
105.2002, Sep. 6-7	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Dana Hines	I Bob Richardson
106.2003, Sep. 5-6	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Russel Mabe	I Bob Richardson

Table A-MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Director of Associational Missions-  
Mr. Ross Wagner  
5839 Pine Swamp Rd.  
Sparta NC 28675

## CHURCHES

PASTORS &  
ADDRESSES

Resident Membership  
Total Membership  
Other Additions  
Total Baptisms  
AM Worship  
Service Attendance

Year Pastor Came

Year Organized

County

Bellview

Rev. Darien South  
435 SUNNYVIEW LANE  
FLEETWOOD NC 28826

Alleghany 1896 2002

111 66

Laurel Spings

Rev. Dana Hines  
284 Monteith Acres Road  
Hays NC 28635-8054

Alleghany 1891 1993

72 50

Liberty

Rev. Ralph Smith  
376 Clay Bank Road  
West Jefferson NC 28694

Alleghany 1886 1972

84 70

Mount Carmel

Rev. Everette R. Shaw  
783 Shawtown Road  
Glade Valley NC 28627

Alleghany 1884 1952

202 185

Osborne Memorial

Rev. Russell Mabe  
152 Holder Street  
Hays NC 28635

Alleghany 1943 1988

115 85

# Table B-SUNDAY SCHOOL

Associational Sunday School Director

		Vacation Bible School
		SS Not Church Members
		Average Weekly Attendance
		General Officers
		Adults 65 - Up
		Adults 55 - 64
		Adults 35 - 54
		Adults 25 - 34
		Adults 18 - 24
		Youth 12 - 17
		Children 6 - 11
		Birth - 5
		TOTAL ENROLLMENT
CHURCHES	S.S. DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	
Bellview	Mr. Chris Ashley	53 3 10 12 128* 4 100
* All Adults	1194 County Line Road	
	Laurel Springs NC 28644	
Laurel Spings	Mr. David Taylor	35 3 2 4 6 2 7 2 9 0 23 0 63
	1036 Peach Bottom Road	
	Laurel Springs NC 28644	
Liberty	Mr. Larry Delp	34 3 6 1 2 12 9 1 20 32
	1532 Stratford Road	
	Sparta NC 28675	
Mount Carmel	Mr. James Gillespie	99 5 19 15 0 13 17 18 12 0 24 1109
	7133 Glade Valley Road	
	Ennice NC 28623	
Osborne Memorial	Mr. Bob Richardson	20 4 10 6 20 35
	1493 Spicer Mountain Road	
	Sparta NC 28675	

Table C- DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

	Total	Ongoing Preschool Birth - 5	Ongoing Children 6 - 11	Ongoing Youth 12 - 17	Ongoing Adult 18 & Up	General Officers
Bellview						
Laurel Spings						
Liberty						
Mount Carmel						
Osborne Memorial						
TOTALS						







**Table E - MISSIONS INVOLVEMENT  
& WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION**

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Wilma Foster 5783 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675		Missions Project Participation	Local Missions Projects	US Missions Projects	Total WMU Enroll - ment	WMU Ages 18 & Up	WMU Leader- ship Team
CHURCHES		WMU Directors					
Bellview							
Laurel Springs	Mrs. Wilma Foster 5783 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675				18		
Liberty					1		
Mount Carmel	Mrs. Marlene M. Caudill 3440 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675	1	1		13	9	4
Osborne Memorial							
TOTALS							

Table F-

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Associational Treasurer

Dorothy Brooks

4084 Walnut Branch Church Road

Sparta, NC 28675

CHURCHES | TREASURERS &  
ADDRESSES

Bellview	Mrs. Dorothy Brooks
	4084 Walnut Branch Ch.
	RD., Sparta NC 28675
Laurel	Mrs. Shelia Taylor
Springs	1036 Peach Bottom Road
	Laurel Springs NC 28644
Liberty	Mrs. Joann Hoppers
	P O BOX 385
	Sparta NC 28675
Mount	Mrs. Janet K. Shaw
Carmel	91 Sady's Walkway
	Glade Valley NC 28627
Osborne	Mrs. Reba Osborne
Memorial	150 Burton Lane
	Piney Creek NC 28663

Undesignated Gifts

43905

42284

15153

26957

30000

Designated Gifts

11622

5133

1162

13652

6166

Cooperative Program

100

200

0

0

102

Associational Missions

2722

1200

1000

600

800

State Missions

820

500

531

649

0

Annie Armstrong

100

200

110

150

175

Lottie Moon

100

500

84

150

175

Other SBC Missions

200

0

0

0

Non-SBC Missions

16426

4230

65

0





Bx  
6349  
A4  
N6  
A55

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North Carolina**

*"The North Carolina Baptist Way  
Living the Faith — Being the Church"*

**One Hundred and Eighth Annual Session**

**Held With**

**Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church**

**September 10 and 11, 2004**

**Next Session to be held with**

**Liberty Baptist Church**

**September 9 and 10, 2005**

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**Preacher:**

**Rev. Ralph Smith**

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**ALLEGHANY MISSIONARY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
**THE ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION**  
**(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)**  
**SEPTEMBER 10 AND 11, 2004**

**PARTNERS IN THE HARVEST**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

7:15	Musical Prelude	Dorothy Brooks
7:30	Hymn # 285	<i>The Lily of the Valley</i>
	Welcome	Rev. Everette Shaw
	Opening Prayer	Rev. Ralph Smith

Roll Call and Seating of Messengers:  
 Bob Richardson

Bellview    Laurel Springs    Liberty  
 Mount Carmel    Osborne Memorial

	Recognition of Guests	Bob Richardson
7:50	Hymn # 265	<i>Love Lifted Me</i>
7:55	Director of Missions Report	Ross Wagner
8:05	Historian Report	Mary Rector
8:10	Special Music    Liberty &    Dennis Joines	
	Laurel Springs    Sandra Myers	
8:25	Credentials Committee Report	
8:35	Hymn # 205	<i>Wonderful Words of Life</i>
8:40	Special Music	Mount Carmel Choir
8:55	Sermon	Rev. Everette Shaw
	Closing Hymn of Fellowship #75	<i>Blest Be the Tie</i>
	Benediction	Rev. Dana Hines

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SATURDAY MORNING:

- 8:50 Musical Prelude Dorothy Brooks  
9:00 Opening Prayer Rev. Russell Mabe  
9:10 Hymn # 188 *He Lives*  
9:15 Welcome and Recognition of Guests  
Bob Richardson  
9:25 Reports: Executive Board Bob Richardson  
Treasurer Dorothy Brooks  
9:35 Hymn # 240 *When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder*  
9:40 Special Music, Osborne Memorial, Crossbeams  
9:55 Hymn # 165 *Kneel At the Cross*  
10:00 Reports:  
Finance (Budget) Dorothy Brooks  
Baptist Children's Home Rev. Lloyd Fish  
Youth Gay Scott  
Auditor's Report  
10:30 Special Music, Laurel Springs Youth  
Amber Story & Steva Tucker  
10:40 Nominating Committee Wilma Foster  
10:45 Hymn # 376 *Take the Name of Jesus With You*  
10:50 Memorial Service Dorothy Brooks  
11:00 Special Music Laurel Springs Church Choir  
11:15 Sermon Rev. Lawson Horton  
Associational Missionary,  
Brushy Mountain Baptist Association  
Benediction & Blessing  
Lunch

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## Nominating Committee Report Officers 2004-2005

Moderator	Bob Richardson, Osborne Memorial
Vice-Moderator	Dana Hines, Laurel Springs
Clerk	Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs
Treasurer	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Assistant Clerk/Treasurer	Irene Wagner, Liberty
Auditor	Vicky Bartlett, Osborne Memorial
Historian	Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial
Pianist	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Assistant Pianist	Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs
Chorister	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Assistant Chorister	Beth Mabe, Bellview
Youth Director	Wanda Cleary, Osborne Memorial
Assistant Youth Director	Gay Scott, Bellview
VBS Director	Ross Wagner, Liberty

### Nominating Committee

Wilma Foster, Chairman	Laurel Springs
Steven Joines	Bellview
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Jimmy Gillespie	Mount Carmel
Roger Pugh	Osborne Memorial

### Finance Committee

Dorothy Brooks, Chairman	Bellview
Joann Hoppers	Liberty
Jan Shaw	Mount Carmel
Reba Osborne	Osborne Memorial
Shelia Taylor	Laurel Springs

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**Music Committee**

Director	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Assistant Director	Beth Mabe, Bellview
Pianist	Dorothy Brooks, Bellview
Assistant Pianist	Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs

**Youth & Children's Home Committee**

Wanda Cleary, Director	Osborne Memorial
Gay Scott, Assistant Director	Bellview
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Misty Seals	Mount Carmel
Amy Hall	Laurel Springs

**Missions Development Committee**

Dorothy Brooks, Chairman	Bellview
Joyce Farley	Laurel Springs
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Marlene Caudill	Mount Carmel
Wanda Cleary	Osborne Memorial

**Credentials Committee**

Steven Joines	Bellview
Everett Elliott	Laurel Springs
Dewey Hoppers	Liberty
Jay Shaw	Mount Carmel
Rev. Russell Mabe	Osborne Memorial

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman

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## **Ordination Committee**

Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman                      Mount Carmel  
All Other Pastors in the Association

**THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IS COMPOSED OF:**  
Officers of the Association, Pastors of Each Church, and  
the following Representatives From Each Church:

Bellview	Leonard Church and Dot Brooks
Laurel Springs	Everett Elliott and Ken Kern
Liberty	Dewey Hoppers and Irene Wagner
Mount Carmel	Jimmy Gillispie and Robert Patrick
Osborne Memorial	Alva Farmer and Bob Richardson

## **MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATION**

**BELVIEW** – Dot Brooks, Steve Joines, Debbie Joines,  
Rev. Larry Powers

**LAUREL SPRINGS** – Louise Loggins, Everett Elliott,  
Ken Kern, Barbara Petty, Rev. Dana Hines

**LIBERTY** – Mr. Dewey Hoppers, Mr. Ross Wagner,  
Mr. Dennis Joines, Rev. Roy Houser, Mrs. Irene  
Wagner, Mr. Roger Mabe

**MOUNT CARMEL** – Robert Patrick, Jay Shaw,  
Marvin Shaw, Rev. Everette Shaw, Bruce Wood

**OSBORNE MEMORIAL** – Keith Hawks, Robert  
Shaw, Mildred Shaw, Wayne Cleary, Wanda Cleary,  
Rev. Russell Mabe

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Alleghany Baptist Association  
108<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SESSION

MINUTES

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 10, 2004

The Friday evening session of the Alleghany Baptist Association convened at 7:15 PM with a musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks.

The opening hymn by the congregation was "*The Lily of the Valley*." Rev. Everette Shaw gave the welcome, and Rev. Ralph Smith gave the opening prayer.

Moderator Bob Richardson did the roll call and asked for the seating of the messengers. Then he recognized Lester Evans from the Baptist State Convention. Rev. Larry Powers was welcomed to his first session of the Alleghany Baptist Association Annual Meeting.

The congregation sang "*Love Lifted Me*." The Director of Missions Report was submitted by Ross Wagner and was approved upon a second by Everett Elliott.

Laurel Springs Baptist Church received an award for highest offering per capita for the Lottie Moon Offering and, also, for the highest Lottie Moon Offering of the churches in the Association.

The Historian Report was submitted by Mary Rector and was approved upon a second by Bruce Wood.



There was special music by Dennis Joines and Sandra Myers.

The Credentials Committee presented Sparta First Baptist Church for membership in our Association. The vote carried.

The congregation sang "*Wonderful Words of Life.*"

We had special music presented by the Mount Carmel Choir.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. Everette Shaw.

The congregation sang "*Blest Be the Tie.*"

The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Dana Hines.

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 11, 2004

Following a musical prelude by Dorothy Brooks, Rev. Larry Powers gave the opening prayer.

The congregation sang "*He Lives.*" Moderator Bob Richardson gave the welcome and recognized guest, Lloyd Fish.

The congregation sang "*When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder.*"

The Executive Board Report was given by Bob Richardson, and Dorothy Brooks gave the Treasurer's Report. Both were approved as submitted.

Special music was presented by the Crossbeams from Osborne Memorial Baptist Church.

The congregation sang "*Kneel At the Cross.*"

Dorothy Brooks gave the proposed budget, and it was approved upon a second by Bruce Wood.

Rev. Lloyd Fish gave a report on the Baptist Children's Home.

Ross Wagner gave the Youth Committee Report, and it was approved upon a second by Irene Wagner.

The Auditor's Report was approved on a motion by Irene Wagner and a second by Bruce Wood.

The Nominating Committee Report was presented by Wilma Foster, and the election of officers was approved.

The congregation sang "*Take the Name of Jesus With You.*"

Dorothy Brooks presented the Memorial Service followed by music by the Laurel Springs Choir.

Rev. Lawson Horton, Associational Missionary, Brushy Mountain Baptist Association, gave the sermon.

Dewey Hoppers gave the Benediction and Blessing.

## EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

We of the executive board want to first thank God for His love, His Care, and His presence in our midst, as we try to faithfully carry out the responsibility placed in our hands by you, the members of the churches. I assure you it is done with much prayer and dedication

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of those who serve. I want to take just a moment to say a few words from my heart about the people who faithfully serve each year on this board. As I returned home the other evening from our meeting to prepare for this annual session, I had to praise God as I reflected back on the years I've been privileged to serve you as moderator. If you look in the back of the minute book, you will find a list year by year, of those who have served as moderator, clerk, preacher, chairman of the executive committee. My election was in 1987. That was a while ago: count up, 17 years, and Wilma called the other night and asked for a "yes" to another year. I have had the privilege, honor, and joy to serve with the most outstanding people in the world. There have been changes over those years of those who came each meeting to represent each of your churches. Health and sometimes "homegoing" have made changes in our board; but the caliber of those serving has not changed. I have sat under the scrutiny of Mrs. Moxley, Dan Taylor, Wilma, Irene, and all the others, during these years. They have all given me love, respect, support, patience, prayers, and a lot of guidance. Our churches are small in comparison to larger more populated areas of our world; but these people who sit on this board, I have found to be conservative, practical stewards of the finances, generous to the needs of people who come to us for help; caring and passionately concerned for lost souls. I personally know most of the members of our

churches and I say to you it has been a blessing beyond words to tell you, for my life and service to my God to have walked and worked with Christians who love each other and God as you do. The accomplishments of this year are recorded in the reports of our churches and committees. They are also recorded in God's book of remembrance and by names added in the Lamb's Book of Life. In service to you I have not accomplished all I should have, certainly not all I wanted to, but still with God's love in our hearts and His hand to guide us, we will go on until He says our work is done.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bob Richardson

**Osborne Memorial Baptist Church  
2003-2004**

Osborne Memorial had two baptized. Osborne Memorial participated in the Associational Revival. "Coins for Kids" helped children in New Mexico and helped children at the Baptist Children's Homes. The church went Christmas caroling. The church had a Christmas program. The church had an Easter Sunrise Service. The church had a good Vacation Bible School. Decoration and Homecoming was successful. The church fed more 100 for Homecoming Sunday.

"Homeward Bound" from Ashe County provided special music for Homecoming.

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## Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church History

Glade Valley, North Carolina

Organized August 23, 1884

### "ONE HUNDRED TWENTY YEARS OF HISTORY"

The second "Missionary" Baptist Church was organized on August 23, 1884 with a Biblical name, Mount Carmel.

Mount Carmel Baptist Church is located two miles north of Roaring Gap, just off Highway 21, near the Cherry Lane Fire Department. Volume 1 of the Clerk's book, "State of North Carolina, Alleghany County," contains the following entry:

The arm from Long Creek Baptist Church, Surry Association) met on August 23, 1884, near Woodruff Church. After Divine service conducted by Elders J. K. Franklin and J. A. Jordan, was seated in fellowship. On motion, church door was opened for reception of members, and Elder J. A. Roberts, J. M. Jordan, C. P. McCann, Elizabeth Sparks, and J. F. Rash joined by letter. The above being found orthodox in Baptist faith constituted a church. C. P. McCann, acting as spokesman for the body and Elders J. A. Jordan, J. K. Franklin, and W. F. Byrnes presbytery. The clerk's book was a large leather-bound one purchased from the Sunday School Supply Store at Raleigh.

The first one-room frame structure was built the year of organization and was used until it collapsed in a windstorm in 1914. The place of Worship was then moved to the present site owned by the Orange

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Presbytery which constructed a one-room combination church-school building. In June 1928, Mt. Carmel purchased the church building, furnishings and one acre of land for \$450. The church was dedicated in November, 1929 when Rev. W. F. Weatherman was pastor. The cemetery was established in 1935.

The first major improvements were made in 1953 when Mrs. George Crutchfield, R. Jordan, A. C. Caudle and R. A. Crouse were appointed to a building improvement committee. The church was ceiled with masonite. Some years later the driveway around the church was made, the building underpinned, walls painted, electric lights installed, Sunday school rooms and stained glass windows were added, hardwood floors laid, and pews made by F.W. Royal installed. In 1976, a basement was excavated for additional Sunday school space, restrooms and storage area. In 1981 the church windows were replaced with stained glass windows. A picnic pavilion was constructed on the grounds in 1984. Foley A. and Janie McKnight donated land across the road from the church on August 13, 1986 and November 17, 1987 for a new parking lot.

The largest groundbreaking improvements were made in August, 1987. A new sanctuary was added with life-size picture of Christ and stained glass windows. Other improvements included



padded pews, a modern sound system, piano, organ, ceiling fans, vinyl siding, new roof, insulation, expanded Sunday school rooms, central heating & air conditioning and the driveway and parking lot were paved. Rev. Carlie McKnight, former Pastor and honored guest, participated in a dedication service on January 31, 1988.

During Fall of 2002, the pulpit and choir area were raised on a hardwood floor. The church building bears little resemblance to the original Spartan structure our forefathers used for Worship.

In the Summer of 2000, the picnic pavilion was enclosed as a Fellowship Hall adding a kitchen and bathrooms. A dedication ceremony was held on March 18, 2001 with Pastor Fred Jennings. Contribution plaques honoring all who contributed to the building of the hall were hung. An oak Honorarium Leaf Tree with bronze memorial leaves was hung in the hall.

In April of 1999, .68 acres was purchased for the cemetery. A new chain link fence to enclose the entire property was installed in August of 2002.

Mt Carmel joined the Elkin Association in 1885 and in 1898 became a member of Stone Mountain Association. Since 1910 Mt. Carmel has been affiliated with the Alleghany Association. In January

of 2001, the Mount Carmel Church Constitution and Bylaws were adopted.

Pastors who have shepherded God's people at Mount Carmel are as follows: J. A. Jordan, J. A. Williams. T. M. Honeycutt, J. T. Fualks, A. McKnight, Arthur F. Absher, J. K. Franklin, R. K. Johnson, Grant Cothran, D. J. Roberts, John W. Brown, William Miles, W. L. Hoppers, P. H. Haire, S. Landreth Blevins, W. Franklin, Frank Weatherman, Carlisle McKnight, Troy Blevins, Gwyn Blackburn, and Fred Blevins. The current Pastor is Everette K. Shaw. Pastor Shaw has served for fifty-two years. The church has no living former Pastors. In February of 2002 Pastor Shaw was honored at a Fellowship dinner for 50 years as Pastor at Mt Carmel. The Alleghany News featured Pastor Shaw for his 50 years as a pastor in the January 25, 2001 edition of the newspaper.

The church has ordained eleven ministers of the Gospel and provided an Associational Moderator for three years.

Deacons of the Church have been: C. P. McCann, J. F. Rash, Moses Woodruff, Aaron Cheek, Charlie Hanks, F. W. Royal, Hardin Spicer, Paul Woodruff, Joe Irwin, Steward Lyons, Howard F. Royal, Walter Crouse, Sr., J. W. Caudle, R. A. Crouse, A. C. Caudle, James D. McKnight, Bill Shaw, Gary Osborne, Bill Edwards, Wayne Cleary, Larry Atwood, Dennis C. Crouse.

Current Deacons are: James Gillespie, Chairman of the Deacons, Bruce Wood, Robert Patrick, and Jay Shaw.

Church Clerks who have served are: J. M. Jordan, G. A. Gentry, D. J. Roberts, Sowell Woodruff, Franklin Royal, James D. McKnight, Dorothy Shaw. Current Clerks are: Janet Shaw and Brenda Blevins, Assistant Clerk.

Gifts received by the church: a communion set in memory of C. S. McKnight, a pulpit Bible in memory of Homer Miles, a lawn bulletin board in memory of J. W. Caudle, a communion table by the Franklin Royal family, a framed copy of the Church Covenant in 1993 in memory of Patsy P. Miles, a framed copy of the Ten Commandments donated by Charlie Crouse in 2003 and a framed picture of a baptism donated by Ruth Ellen Wood in 2003. A church sign was designed, donated and installed on Highway 21 by Ray Shaw in 1989. In the Summer of 1996, Jason Blevins made, donated and installed the church sign on Cherry Lane Road. The sign, shrubbery and landscaping for the church property and cemetery were completed for his Eagle Scout project. In 2000, the Youth Group and Young Adults hung a portrait of Pastor Shaw in the church vestibule. A memorial plaque under the portrait recognizes 48 years of dedicated service by Pastor Shaw to Mount Carmel Church.

The church held a Centennial celebration on Sunday, August 26, 1984. The Principal Film Company of London, England filmed the documentary "Voices of American" on Sunday, June 4, 1989 during a Worship service. Church Directories have been published since 1989. The church records were microfilmed through 1971 by the North Carolina Department of Archives and History and the microfilm was updated in 1990 at Wake Forest University.

The WMU was organized in 1983 and has been active since that time ministering to the sick and bereaved in the community.

Sunday school was organized in June of 1939 for the summer months only. Sunday school is currently held every Sunday at 9:45 AM.

Membership has grown from 5 to two hundred two. Worship services are conducted every Sunday at 11:00 AM. An Adult Bible study is held the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday evening every month. Special singing at the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship service followed by a Fellowship Dinner has become a tradition since 2001. Mt. Carmel supports the Baptist State Convention organization and the Alleghany Baptist Association. The Mt. Carmel choir active since 1995 supports the church and other functions including revivals in the community.

Mt. Carmel is a special Christian Baptist community blessed with a Pastor

who has guided our worship and ministered to our needs for fifty-two years. The members of Mt. Carmel hold fast to the words of the King James Bible and pray that the words of John 3:16 will take hold in the hearts of not only our community but worldwide.

Great appreciation is expressed to past Historians: Mrs. A. O. Joines, Mrs. T. S. Moxley for documenting the early history of our churches and Dorothy Shaw.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Rector, Historian

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## ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH REPORT 2003-2004

The Alleghany County Baptist Youth participated in the following events this year:

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|----------|--|
| October  | Associational Youth Night (pizza) - Bellview<br>(Sunday night of the Associational Revival)                  |
| December | Live Nativity – cancelled due to bad<br>weather - Osborne Memorial   |
| December | Each church decorated treat bags that<br>were filled and distributed at the<br>Christmas give-away for Cora. |
| January  | Volleyball – cancelled due to bad<br>weather - Liberty   |
| February | Bowling (pizza) - Laurel Springs   |
| May      | Bible Study - Liberty  |
| June     | Baptist Children's Home Picnic at<br>Thomasville – school supplies were<br>taken for the children            |

Thanks to each of you for your help and support in planning these events. With the Lord's help, our youth will partake in many more fun and worthwhile activities next year. Always remember our youth in your prayers because they are faced with many difficult decisions each day. Let's always strive to be light to lead them in the right way – God's Way



BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
2003-2004

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for his many blessings this past year. The church continues to be a loving and close knit group of believers who trust God, love Jesus, and seek the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

On July 4 of this year, our pastor, Darien South, tendered his resignation, and the church is currently seeking a new pastor. Bellview covets the prayers of its sister churches as we conduct our search.

Improvements to the church include the purchase of a new piano, a sidewalk leading from the front of the church to the entrance of the fellowship hall at the rear of the church, landscaping along new walkway, designation of a handicapped parking space, the removal of tree which posed possible danger to the church in case of high wind or ice, new carpeting, new pew coverings, and the purchase of new lawn care equipment.

Bellview is involved in numerous mission activities including "Share-a-Meal" program (at which time the church prepares and delivers meals to sick or shut-in members of the community; providing Christmas for needy families; meeting special needs within the community as they arise; and on-going support of Cora's Charities and Rock of Ages prison ministry. This past year, for the first time, the church

became involved in a mission effort aimed at disadvantaged areas of West Virginia.

The church continues to enjoy established traditions such as selection of a secret pal; Mothers and Fathers Day luncheons; Christmas caroling and distribution of fruit baskets; a Christmas play presented by the youth; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; and Old Fashion Day. This past church year, a new tradition was started. In an effort to encourage Sunday School attendance, a "Welcome to Sunday School" breakfast was begun and is held on the first Sunday of each month.

The members of Bellview wish to thank God for all He has done and to praise Him for what He will do. We ask all who read this to please pray for our church – that we may be good stewards of His blessings, honor Him in all we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

### **Credentials Committee**

The Credentials Committee recommends that First Baptist Church of Sparta be approved to come under watchcare of the Association for the period of one year.

## Director of Missions Report

The association's five churches have been faithful and encouraging. Vacation Bible Schools, worship services, Bible studies, music, prayer times, trips, and meals were good. The Associational Revival was a blessing. I attended DOM meetings that were good. The Baptist State Convention has helped us.

Some of our missions activities follow: giving New Testaments to children, giving treat bags to children just before Christmas, giving Christmas gifts to children on behalf of parents in prison, helping people pay electric bills, and helping people pay for medicine.

Baptist Children's Homes can exchange empty inkjet print cartridges and old cell phones for items that they can use to help children.

### Change in the Association

First Baptist Church of Sparta requested membership in the Alleghany Baptist Association. First Baptist's return to the association is a wonderful change.

I would like to share a visual aid as we focus on change. The most important change in my life was when I got saved.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Ross Wagner

*MEMORIAL SERVICE*

BELLVIEW

Mrs. Cassandra Shepherd Thompson

LAUREL SPRINGS

Mr. John Felix Myers

Mrs. Dorothy Upchurch

LIBERTY

Mrs. Marie Caudill Holbrook

MOUNT CARMEL

Mr. Zane McKnight

Mrs. Reba Blevins

Mrs. Hazel Presnell

OSBORNE MEMORIAL

Mrs. Joan Henrichs Landreth

Mrs. Donna Hicks Osborne





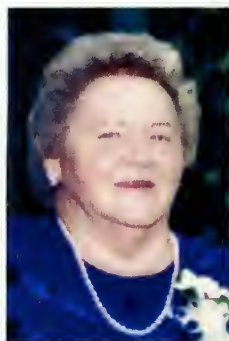
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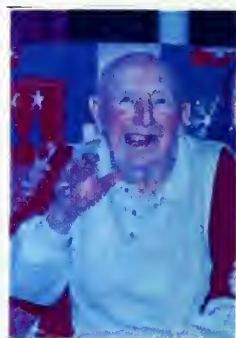
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**Mrs. Cassandra Shepherd Thompson**



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**FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
2004-2005**

<b>Item</b>	<b>2003-2004 Budget</b>	<b>2003-2004 Disbursements</b>	<b>2004-2005 Budget</b>
Salary	6000.00	6000.00	6000.00
Social Security	459.00	459.00	459.00
Travel	240.00	240.00	200.00
- 40			
Telephone	350.00	346.03	350.00
Evangelism	200.00	0	200.00
& Church Training			
Youth	800.00	728.50	800.00
WMU	200.00	0	100.00
- 100			
Printing Minutes	300.00	256.80	350.00
+ 50			
Missions	2100.00	881.31	1000.00
- 1100			
Operating Expense	<u>500.00</u>	<u>430.38</u>	<u>540.00</u>
+ 40			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,149.00</b>	<b>9,342.02</b>	<b>9,999.00</b>
- 1,150			

**AUDITOR'S REPORT  
2003-2004**

September 10, 2004

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

I have examined the financial records of The Alleghany Baptist Association for the fiscal year 2003-2004 and found them to be accurate and in order.

**Vickie P. Bartlett  
Auditor**

## **Laurel Springs Baptist Church 2003-2004 Year In Review**

We dedicate this Review to Madge Shepherd who turned 99 on August 28, 2004!

First and foremost, we give God thanks for all the good things that have come our way this year.

Our church family and friends eagerly await the gospel singings on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday night of the month. There was a great Bluegrass gospel group from Watauga County, called "The Familiar Ground." They got us off to a toe tappin' hand clappin' start in April. August 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Elliott Brothers and Glenda (a sister to the Brothers) and Dennis Joines sang to a full house with an overflow in extra chairs accommodating the 111 that attended. The sing along continued in the fellowship hall over refreshments.

Revival began Sunday August 15 in the worship service with evangelist Richard Whittington and continued through the 18<sup>th</sup>. He is with Servant Ministries and Walk Thru the Bible.

Wednesday Night Bible Study and Choir Practice continue to be a blessing. Our pastor Dana Hines is very knowledgeable, and he encourages us as we get into God's Word in depth. He helps us have a better understanding of what we read and discuss.

The choir is a blessing with increased membership. A mother/daughter joined increasing the number of mothers/daughters to 3. Our choir is family-oriented with father/daughter and husbands/wives. Zephaniah 3:17 KJV "He will rejoice over thee with joy...He will joy over thee with singing." Our pianists are Wilma Foster, Nina Elliott, and Judy Hines. This spring, Doris Kern began piano preludes to prepare our hearts for worship before the Pastor and Choir come in. These preludes have been very meaningful to the worship service.

The children also are taking a more active role in the worship service by involving the congregation in their songs and quoting Bible verses.

Our membership was strengthened by 3 new members to our fellowship. Two members were deceased.

Love is Patient, Love is Kind, and the institution of marriage is alive and well. Three couples celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversaries. Warm wishes and congratulations to Eugene and Faye Pruitt, April 17, 1954; Paul and Wilma Foster, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 1954; and Ken and Doris Kern, August 14, 1954.

We continue our support and prayers for our missionaries local and overseas. We added support for a young couple leaving in September for Cambodia. We participated in special relief boxes to Iraq and filled shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse's Operation Christmas Child.

The oldest and youngest mothers were recognized and given hanging baskets. The oldest and youngest father were given a Lowes Gift Card. The church gave a donation of money to the WMU in honor of all mothers and fathers.

The ladies of the WMU do a great job meeting the needs of the church family, and they reach out to the community as well. We would like to pay special recognition to Bessie Waldrige for her contribution of beautiful flower arrangements for special occasions all year. Bessie has a health problem, but God has blessed her with a special talent to arrange and share her beautiful bouquets with us.

The church is grateful to Paul Foster for his gift of a sanctuary table. Not just an ordinary table, it was a hand made table to match the existing tables.

Improvements were minimal this year. Cemetery sign was repaired, the sound system was updated, and a dehumidifier was installed in the basement.

The last Sunday in August, we welcomed a youth group from Apex, N.C. They were a great bunch of kids, and they sang a couple of praise songs. We hope they'll come back next year.

Our visitors are always welcome. Some are like regular members. They have summer homes here, and some are from Florida, Cary, Kernersville, and Beaufort, N.C.

Thank you Lord for all your blessings!



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**2003-2004 Review of Youth Activities**  
**Laurel Springs Baptist Church Youth**

The youth are a terrific group. They eagerly participate in efforts to witness. This year items were collected for Graffiti in New York, and shoeboxes were filled for Samaritan's Purse. Fellowship and fun took place at Tweetsie Railroad, Bowling & Pizza Party, and Carowinds!

The youth always excel in the Christmas Play. Practice got off to a very slow start due to much sickness. Practices were very limited, and some Play members requested that we just postpone or cancel it. After many prayers, the Play was pulled off perfectly. Many in attendance said this was our best play yet!

Amy Hall

**Liberty Baptist Church**

The church had two baptisms. The church had a Pastor Appreciation Day with a dinner. The church began a Children's Church as part of the Sunday Morning Worship Service. The church participated in the Associational Revival. The church had an Easter Sunrise Service. Church members participated in all the associational youth activities. The church hosted the May associational youth event. The church hosted the youth group from First Baptist Church of Auburndale, Florida. Church members participated in the association's picnic for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville. The Vacation Bible School went well. The youth class was a highlight of VBS.

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## Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church 2003-2004

### Mt Carmel Church:

- ❖ "Life Builders – Building for Eternity" is the title of the adult bible study continuing from last year. Classes are held the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month.
- ❖ The Alleghany Association Fall Revival was held at Mt Carmel on October 15<sup>th</sup>. Betty & Marvin Shaw and the church choir sang.
- ❖ The Mt Carmel Spring Revival was held May 9-14 with a different preacher every night. Preachers for the week were: Lloyd Day, Jackie Delp, Ralph Smith, Anion Cole, Roger Jennings & Fred Jennings.
- ❖ Decoration Service at Mt Carmel cemetery was held on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Communion and Foot Washing service was held on August 1<sup>st</sup>.

### Fellowship Events:

- ❖ Mt Carmel members and friends traveled to Galax, VA to view the Passion of the Christ on opening day. The Mel Gibson movie was a deeply spiritual experience for our group and the entire audience.
- ❖ Monthly Worship Service with singing continued this year. The groups we enjoyed were Herb Thomas & Beacons, Gospel Sounds, Sounds of Victory, Southern Praise, and the Brinegar Family. In January, Chuck & Megan Ainsworth spoke during Worship Service of their mission trip to Cambodia beginning January 19<sup>th</sup>. Megan Shaw Ainsworth was a member of the Mt Carmel Youth Group during her school days in Alleghany County. They spoke of how God had led them during their youth and college to understand his work for them in Cambodia. They spoke of

wanting, like Paul, to talk about Jesus to people who had never heard of him. They are teaching English at the English Language Institute of Beijing China. The church offering for the couple was approx. \$200.

#### Holiday Events:

- ❖ The church participated in the Franklin Graham Operation Shoebox event and sent 17 boxes to the Boone collection site.
- ❖ The New Years Eve tradition of "Singin' Out the Old & In the New" was held with Preacher James Miles. Jay Shaw, Betty & Marvin Shaw and the church choir provided the singing. Snacks were provided in the Fellowship Hall.
- ❖ Easter Sunrise service was held on April 11<sup>th</sup> with a fellowship breakfast following the service. Over 45 people attended service and breakfast. Over 100 Easter Eggs were hidden for the children to hunt with candy and prizes to be found in the eggs
- ❖ May 9<sup>th</sup>, the church honored the oldest & youngest mothers at both Sunday School and Worship service.
- ❖ June 20<sup>th</sup>, the church honored the oldest & youngest fathers at both Sunday School and Worship service.

#### Vacation Bible School:

- ❖ The theme for Vacation Bible School was 'Castle Kids – Become a Knight for Jesus.' A Castle entrance was built entering the church and a castle was constructed inside the church. The children marched in under crossed swords with the Bible and flags. Music, songs and 'Good Deed' badges were applied to the castle nightly. Sir Trips-a-Lot (Misty Seal) with his horse presented a

nightly skit reminding the children of the lessons they were to learn each night. Danah Brown taught the older classes the song "I'm Forgiven" with sign language. Misty Seal played games nightly during refreshments teaching the children the lesson of working together with their friends and the meaning of being a lukewarm Christian. Gerry Cranford and Michele DeBord taught preschoolers. The Primary One class was taught by Jan Shaw and Stephanie Shaw; Primary Two class was taught by Judy Miles and Freda Cockerham,

- ❖ At the presentation of classes, the Preschool Class showed shields, badge necklaces and t-shirts with the VBS theme. The children sang 'Jesus Loves Me'. The older children built a block castle in the church as they correctly answered questions from their studies and sang their song with sign language. Each child received a crown and a bag of jewels which included candy coins, a Gideon Bible (presented by Bruce Wood) and Bible markers of the Ten Commandments, Beatitudes and John 3:16. Snacks each night were organized by Joyce Shaw and were in keeping with the theme of Castles & Knights for Jesus. The final night all enjoyed a Feast of chicken legs, cheese, grapes & grape soda.

MT CARMEL WMU  
2003-2004

The WMU participated in the Mtn. Heritage Festival in Sept. and gave away a denim quilt that had been donated. In November a Thanksgiving meal was

held for the church family and community. Members brought shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse in December.

Pastor Appreciation and Birthday Celebration was held for Everette Shaw in February. The WMU gave him a gift certificate for his service.

A breakfast was held after Sunrise Services on Easter Sunday.

Mothers were remembered on Mother's Day with inspirational books. Fathers were remembered with pins and bookmarks on Father's Day.

Members donated diapers in May with a diaper drive to help needy families in the county.

Twelve members met in July to make sauerkraut for the Festival in Sept.

New Officers were elected in August

President: Marlene Caudill

Vice President: Ruth Ellen Wood

Secretary: Brenda Blevins

Treasurer: Joyce Shaw

Over the year, we have taken ham and coffee to many bereaved families. We also sent many cards of love and prayers and some with monetary gifts for sickness and bereavement.

### Alleghany Baptist Association

#### Treasurer's Report 09/01/03 – 08/31/04

<b>BALANCE AS OF 09/01/03</b>		<b>\$3,254.58</b>
<b>RECEIPTS</b>		
09/01/03	Bellview	299.73
09/01/03	Baptist State Convention	125.00
09/23/03	Mount Carmel	150.00
09/23/03	Skyline Capital Credit	27.64

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09/25/03	Interest	.41
10/01/03	Baptist State Convention	125.00
10/01/03	Bellview	202.58
10/27/03	Interest	.38
11/03/03	Baptist State Convention	125.00
11/09/03	Bellview	195.68
11/13/03	Osborne Memorial	<u>200.00</u>
11/24/03	Laurel Springs	300.00
11/27/03	Interest	.34
12/07/03	Bellview	305.15
12/01/03	Baptist State Convention	125.00
12/25/03	Interest	.31
01/02/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
01/04/04	Bellview	166.03
01/21/04	Baptist State Convention	20.30
01/25/04	Bellview	291.48
01/26/04	Osborne Memorial	200.00
01/27/04	Mount Carmel	150.00
01/28/04	Interest	.34
02/04/04	Baptist State Convention	<u>100.00</u>
02/26/04	Interest	.26
03/02/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
03/14/04	Bellview	277.85
03/19/04	Osborne Memorial	200.00
03/24/04	Interest	.19
03/29/04	Mount Carmel	150.00
04/01/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
04/02/04	Bellview	288.67
04/26/04	Interest	.23
05/01/04	Bellview	224.35
05/01/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
05/08/04	Laurel Springs	<u>300.00</u>
05/26/04	Interest	.18
06/01/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00



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06/06/04	Bellview	284.32
06/24/04	Interest	.18
07/01/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
07/11/04	Bellview	203.15
07/12/04	Laurel Springs	600.00
07/15/04	Osborne Memorial	200.00
07/15/04	Mount Carmel	150.00
07/27/04	Interest	.17
07/28/04	Liberty	1000.00
08/02/04	Baptist State Convention	100.00
08/08/04	Bellview	<u>205.96</u>

**TOTAL RECEIPTS** **\$7,895.88**

**GRAND TOTAL** **\$11,150.46**

## DISBURSEMENTS

09/12/03	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	29.58
09/17/03	#1081 AHS (Youth-Ad & Yearbook)	190.00
09/17/03	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
09/17/03	#1084 First Community (Lockbox)	80.00
09/19/03	#1082 T.R. Wagner	441.75
09/19/03	#1083 T.R. Wagner (Office 51.35, Travel 27.00)	78.55
10/12/03	#1085 BBC (Youth – Pizza)	139.74
10/14/03	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	34.11
10/16/03	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
10/20/03	#1086 T.R. Wagner	441.75
10/21/03	#1087 IRS (3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter)	229.50
11/12/03	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.41
11/17/03	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
11/17/03	#1088 T.R. Wagner	<u>441.75</u>
12/12/03	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	29.14
12/18/03	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
12/20/03	#1089 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
12/20/03	#1090 T.R. Wagner	221.76

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	(Travel 45, Office 62.77, Postage 14.80, & Missions 99.19 Treat Bags)	
12/31/03	#1091 Blue Ridge Electric (Missions)	32.87
01/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	31.92
01/15/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
01/19/04	#1092 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
02/03/04	#1093 T.R. Wagner	163.70
	(Missions – New Testaments)	
01/21/04	#1094 IRS (4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter)	229.50
01/21/03	#1095 Blue Ridge Electric(Missions)	100.00
01/29/04	#1096 Kerr Drug (Missions)	34.43
02/10/04	#1097 Postmaster (P O Box Rent)	36.00
02/09/04	#1098 G & B Oil (Missions)	71.09
02/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.05
02/17/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
02/20/04	#1099 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
02/20/04	#1100 T.R. Wagner (Office)	<u>62.07</u>
02/29/04	Trojan Bowl (Pizza Bowling-Youth)	164.00
03/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	32.53
03/18/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
03/20/04	#1102 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
03/22/04	#1103 U.S. Postal Service (Stamps)	7.40
04/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	18.82
04/16/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
04/03/04	#1104 IRS (1st Quarter)	229.50
04/06/04	#1105 T.R. Wagner	55.40
	(Travel 48 & Postage 7.40)	
04/16/03	#1106 Blue Ridge Electric(Missions)	100.00
04/20/04	#1107 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
05/10/04	#1108 Halsey Drug (Missions)	100.00
05/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.01
05/17/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
05/17/04	#1109 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	<u>441.75</u>
05/26/04	First Com. Bank (Safe Deposit Box)	40.00

06/11/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.01
06/17/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
06/18/04	#1111 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
06/21/04	#1112 Wal-Mart BCH Picnic(Youth)	234.76
07/20/04	#1113 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
07/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.58
07/16/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
07/23/04	#1114 IRS (2nd Quarter)	229.50
07/28/04	#1115 T.R. Wagner	122.39
	(Travel 54 & Office 68.39)	
07/30/04	#1116 Rent to Mrs. Adams(Missions)	100.00
08/03/04	#1117 Copy Express (Minutes)	256.80
08/06/04	#1118 Blue Ridge Electric(Missions)	80.03
08/12/04	#1119 T.R. Wagner (Salary)	441.75
08/12/04	Automatic Deduction-Skyline	28.87
08/16/04	Automatic Deduction-Annuity Board	20.00
08/19/04	#1120 T.R. Wagner (Travel)	<u>66.00</u>
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>		<b>\$9,322.02</b>
<b>BALANCE AS OF 08/31/04</b>		<b>\$1,828.44</b>

**2003-2004 FINAL RECEIPTS**

<b>SOURCE</b>	<b>2003-2004 RECEIPTS</b>
<b>BELLVIEW</b>	<b>2944.95</b>
<b>LAUREL SPRINGS</b>	<b>1200.00</b>
<b>LIBERTY</b>	<b>1000.00</b>
<b>MOUNT CARMEL</b>	<b>600.00</b>
<b>OSBORNE MEMORIAL</b>	<b>800.00</b>
<b>BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION</b>	<b>1320.30</b>
<b>SKYLINE</b>	<b>27.64</b>
<b>2003-2004 TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>7895.88</b>

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897

Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909

Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex. Comm
1.1886, Sep. 24-25	Buffalo	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I.G.W. Greene	I James Eller
2.1887, Sep. 22-24	New Hope	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I.S.M. Collins	I James Eller
3.1888, Sep. 6-8	Apple Grove	T.M. Honeycutt	H.A. Eller	I.T.M. Honeycutt	I James Eller
4.1889, Sep. 12-14	Landmark	W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I.T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
5.1890, Sep. 18-20	Jefferson	W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I.J.F. Fletcher	I James Eller
6.1891, Sep. 17-19	Sparta	W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I.F.B. Cheek	I James Eller
7.1892, Sep. 15-17	Bethel	W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I.D.J. Harris	I James Eller
8.1893, Sep. 14-16	Apple Grove	T.M. Duncan	H.A. Eller	I.W.H. Glenn	I James Eller
9.1894, Sep. 13-15	Healing Springs	W.C. Fields	H.A. Eller	I.E. Tucker	I James Eller
10.1895, Oct. 3-5	Liberty	J.H. Doughton	I.R.L. Shoaf	I.T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
11.1896, Oct. 1-3	Brushy Fork	J.H. Doughton	H.A. Eller	I.E. Blevins	I J.H. Doughton
12.1897, Sep. 28-30	Forest Home	J.H. Doughton	H.A. Eller	I.E.F. Tatum	I H.A. Eller
1.1897, Nov. 5	Sparta	J.H. Doughton	I.J.M. Wagoner	I.E. Tucker	I J.H. Doughton
2.1898, Oct. 7-9	Brush Crk. (Va.)	I.L.D. Vaughan	I.J.M. Wagoner	I.F.B. Cheek	I T.R. Windsor
3.1899, Sep. 7-9	Laurel Springs	I.L.D. Vaughan	I.W.F. Doughton	I.R.K. Johnson	I R.L. Doughton
4.1900, Sep. 6-8	New Hope	W.C. Fields	I.W.F. Doughton	I James Shumate	I R.L. Doughton
5.1901, Sep. 5-7	Pine Fork	W.C. Fields	I.W.F. Doughton	I.C.M. Rock	I R.L. Doughton
6.1902, Sep. 11-13	Sparta	I.L.D. Vaughan	I.W.F. Doughton	I.L.D. Vaughan	I R.L. Doughton
7.1903, Sep. 10-12	Liberty	J.H. Doughton	I.T.R. Windsor	I.J.W. Burchett	I R.L. Doughton
8.1904, Sep. 8-10	Brush Crk. (Va.)	I.E. Blevins	I.W.M. Wagoner	I.F.B. Cheek	I J.F. Cheek

9. 1905, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I L.M. Holloway	I W.C. Fields
10. 1906, Sep. 7-9	I New Hope	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I E. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
11. 1907, Sep. 6-8	I Pine Fork	I E. Blevins	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
12. 1908, Sep. 10-12	I Pleasant G. (Va.)	I J.F. Fletcher	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
13. 1909, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I R.L. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I R.L. Doughton
14. 1910, Sep. 9-11	I Laurel Springs	I W.L. Hoppers	I H.C. Edwards	I W.L. Hoppers	I R.L. Doughton
15. 1911, Sep. 8-10	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I D.S. Hubble	I R.L. Doughton
16. 1912, Sep. 6-8	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
17. 1913, Sep. 12-14	I Chestnut Grove	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
18. 1914, Sep. 11-13	I Pine Fork	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I Jno. E. Ray	I W.F. Doughton
19. 1915, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I L.B. Murray	I B.E. Reeves
20. 1916, Sep. 8-10	I Mt. Carmel	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I C.M. Cope	I G.T. Caudill
21. 1917, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I G.M. Reeves	I W.F. Doughton
22. 1918, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I S.L. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
23. 1919, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I J.F. Roberts	I W.A. Hash	I R.L. Doughton
24. 1920, Sep. 10-12	I Chestnut Ridge	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Jones	I Coy Blackburn	I R.L. Doughton
25. 1921, Sep. 9-11	I Pine Fork	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I W.L. Hoppers	I John M. Cheek
26. 1922, Sep. 8-10	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I C.E. Maddy	I John M. Cheek
27. 1923, Sep. 7-9	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I A. Lamonds	I John M. Cheek
28. 1924, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
29. 1925, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I John M. Cheek	I N.C. Teague	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
30. 1926, Sep. 10-12	I New Hope	I John M. Cheek	I W.B. Reeves	I N.C. Teague	I John M. Cheek
31. 1927, Sep. 9-11	I Bellview	I W. Franklin	I W.F. Jones	I W. Franklin	I J.T. Fender
32. 1928, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I J.M. Page	I R.A. Wagoner
33. 1929, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I A. Hayes	I R.A. Wagoner
34. 1930, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I E. Whisenhunt	I R. A. Wagoner
35. 1931, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I J.L. Underwood	I M.E. Reeves
36. 1932, Sep. 9-11	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I T.M. Hayes	I M.E. Reeves

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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex. Comm.
37. 1933, Sep. 8-10	Bellevue	I W.F. Doughton	I J.T. Fender	I C.H. McKnight	I John M. Cheek
38. 1934, Sep. 7-9	Liberty	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I G.A. Martin	I T.R. Burgess
39. 1935, Sep. 6-8	Mt. Carmel	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Blevins	I F.W. Royal
40. 1936, Sep. 12-14	I Scottville	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Naff	I A.O. Joines
41. 1937, Sep. 10-12	I Pine Fork	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fedner	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
42. 1938, Sep. 9-11	I Sparta	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I H.J. Ford	I John M. Cheek
43. 1939, Sep. 8-10	I Chestnut Grove	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I J.M. Hayes	I John M. Cheek
44. 1940, Sep. 6-8	I Laurel Springs	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I S.L. Blevins	I John M. Cheek
45. 1941, Sep. 12-14	I New Hope	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I A.C. Ashley	I John M. Cheek
46. 1942, Sep. 12-13	I Bellevue	I F.W. Royall	I Van Miller	I N.M. Greene	I W.F. Doughton
47. 1943, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I W.T. Whittington	I W.F. Doughton
48. 1944, Sep. 9-10	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I R.H. Satterfield	I W.F. Doughton
49. 1945, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I E.B. Barton	I W.F. Doughton
50. 1946, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I W.H. Caldwell	I W.F. Doughton
51. 1947, Sep. 13-14	I Scottville	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I C Gwaltney	I W.F. Doughton
52. 1948, Sep. 11-12	I Pine Fork	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Doughton
53. 1949, Sep. 10-11	I Laurel Springs	I Dr. N.D. Fox	I W.P. Johnson	I J.G. Goodman	I W.F. Doughton
54. 1950, Sep. 9-10	I New River	I Van F. Miller	I W.K. Sprinkle	I F.G. Walker	I W.F. Doughton
55. 1951, Sep. 8-9	I New Hope	I Van F. Miller	I J.B. Reed	I Fred Blevins	I Van F. Miller
56. 1952, Sep. 13-14	I Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I E.V. Bumgarner	I W.F. Doughton
57. 1953, Sep. 12-13	I Bellevue	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I H.J. Ford	I W.F. Doughton
58. 1954, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
59. 1955, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I R.R. Campbell	I A.O. Joines
60. 1956, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I Audley Frazier	I A.O. Joines



61.1957, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I Van F. Miller	I George Shephard	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
62.1958, Sep. 7-8	I Scottville	I E.C. Minnich	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Earnest Upchurch	I A.O. Joines
63.1959, Sep. 11-12	I Pine Fork	I Jack W. Byrd	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
64.1960, Sep. 9-10	I Laurel Springs	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. T. S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
65.1961, Sep. 8-9	I New River	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. A.E. Sells	I A.E. Sells	I Rev. Jack Byrd
66.1962, Sep. 7-8	I New Hope	I Van Miller	I Donna Jones	I Cleo Whitney	I Jack W. Byrd
67.1963, Sep. 6-7	I Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Bobby Elledge	I Ben Reeves
68.1964, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Jack W. Byrd	I Ben Reeves
69.1965, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Lewis Williams	I Donna Jones	I James Durham	I Van F. Miller
70.1966, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bobby Elledge	I Donna Jones	I Jack Richardson	I Van F. Miller
71.1967, Sep. 9-10	I Osborne Memorial	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Everett Shaw	I J.K. Blum
72.1968, Sep. 6-7	I Scottville	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Austol Youmans	I J.K. Blum
73.1969, Sep. 12-13	I Pine Fork	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I J.T. Pardue	I J.K. Blum
74.1970, Sep. 11-12	I Laurel Springs	I J.K. Blum	I Irene R. Wagner	I Bobby Elledge	I J.K. Blum
75.1971, Sep. 10-11	I New River	I Claude Roupe	I Jimmy L. Warden	I Michael Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
76.1972, Sep. 8-9	I Bellview	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
77.1973, Sep. 7-8	I Chestnut Grove	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
78.1974, Sep. 6-7	I New Hope	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
79.1975, Sep. 12-13	I Sparta	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I James Lambert	I Claude Roupe
80.1976, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Jimmy Warden	I Micheal Sepaugh
81.1977, Sep. 9-10	I Liberty	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Bill Ballou	I Micheal Sepaugh
82.1978, Sep. 8-9	I Osborne Memorial	I Mac Warren	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Dwight Leftwich	I Mac Warren
83.1979, Sep. 7-8	I Pine Fork	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
84.1980, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Gene Webb	I Thomas Neville
85.1981, Sep. 11-12	I New Hope	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville

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86.1982, Sep. 10-11	Bellview	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Howard J. Ford	Glenn Graves
87.1983, Sep. 9-10	Sparta	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Tom Graves	Glenn Graves
88.1984, Sep. 7-8	Mount Carmel	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Jim Lambert	Glenn Graves
89.1985, Sep. 13-14	Osborne Memorial	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Dr. Roy J. Smith	Glenn Graves
90.1986, Sep. 12-13	Liberty	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Glenn Graves
91.1987, Sep. 11-12	Chestnut Grove	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Tom Lolley	Bob Richardson
92.1988, Sep. 10-11	Pine Fork	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Bob Richardson
93.1989, Sep. 8-9	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Bobby Elledge	Bob Richardson
94.1990, Sep. 14-15	New Hope	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Larry Atwood	Bob Richardson
95.1991, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Johnny Huffman	Bob Richardson
96.1992, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F.A. Wagner	Rev. Jack Byrd	Bob Richardson
97.1993, Sep. 10-11	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson	David Finney	Rev. Jimmy Warden	Bob Richardson
98.1994, Sep. 9-10	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Russel Mabe	Bob Richardson
99.1995, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Bill Yates	Bob Richardson
100.1996, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Barbara Richardson	Rev. Dean Adams	Bob Richardson
101.1997, Sep. 12-13	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson		Rev. Dana Hiness	Bob Richardson
102.1998, Sep. 11-12	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson		Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
103.1999, Sep. 10-11	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson
103.2000, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Ralph Smith	Bob Richardson
104.2001, Sep. 7-8	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Billy Felts	Bob Richardson
105.2002, Sep. 6-7	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Dana Hines	Bob Richardson
106.2003, Sep. 5-6	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
107.2004, Sep. 10-11	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Joyce Farley	Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson

Table A - MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION		Year Organ-ized	Year Pastor Came	AM Worship Service Average	Baptisms Total	Other Additions	Total Membership	Resident Membership
Church	Pastor							
Director of Missions Ross Wagner 5839 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675								
Bellview	Rev. Larry Powers 124 Dillard Drive Jefferson NC 28640	1896	2004	75	2		115	57
Laurel Springs	Rev. Dana Hines 284 Montieth Acres Rd HAYS NC 28635	1891	1993	51	0		70	50
Liberty	Rev. Ralph Smith 376 Claybank Road West Jefferson NC 28694	1886	1972	68	2		85	72
Mount Carmel	Rev. Everette Shaw 783 Shawtown Road Glade Valley NC 28627	1884	1952	50	0		195	178
Osborne Memorial	Rev. Russell Mabe 152 Holder Street Hays NC 28635	1943	1988	60	2	2	115	85

<b>Table B — SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>		<b>Total Enroll- ment</b>	<b>Ages Birth To 5</b>	<b>Age 6 – 11</b>	<b>Age 12 – 17</b>	<b>Age 18 – 24</b>	<b>Age 25 – 34</b>	<b>Age 35 – 54</b>	<b>Age 55 – 64</b>	<b>Age 65 and Up</b>	<b>General Officers</b>	<b>Other Bible Study</b>	<b>Sunday School Average Weekly Attendance</b>	<b>Vacation Bible School</b>
<b>Church</b>														
<b>Bellview</b> Mr. Chris Ashley 1194 County Line Road Laurel Springs NC 28644	41	5	13	6	2	2	4	6	2	3	0		30	90
<b>Laurel Springs</b> Mr. David Taylor 1036 Peach Bottom Road Laurel Springs NC 28644	40	2	2	3	6	6	2	8	5	8	4	10	23	0
<b>Liberty</b> Mr. Larry Delp 1532 Stratford Road Sparta NC 28675	37	1	6	3	1	1	4	12	2	7	1	1	25	33
<b>Mount Carmel</b> Mr. Jimmy Gillespie 7133 Glade Valley Road Ennice NC 28623	56	4	14	11	0	0	2	6	14	5	0	0	30	73
<b>Osborne Memorial</b> Mr. Bob Richardson 1493 Spicer Mountain Road Sparta NC 28675	63	1	5	5	2	2	5	7	7	8	8	15	35	40
<b>TOTALS</b>	237	13	40	28	11	11	17	39	30	31	13	26	143	236

<b>Table C – DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING</b>	<b>Total Ongoing D. T.</b>	<b>Table D MUSIC MINISTRY</b>	<b>Total Music Enroll ment</b>	<b>Table E WMU</b>	<b>WMU Total</b>	<b>Ages 18 &amp; Over</b>	<b>WMU Leadership Team</b>	<b>Missions Projects Participants</b>
<b>Church</b>								
<b>Bellview</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Bellview</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>Bellview</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Laurel Springs</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Liberty</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Liberty</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Liberty</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Osborne Memorial</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35</b>

Table F — FINANCIAL INFORMATION		Undesig- -nated Gifts	Desig- nated Gifts	C P	Assoc- iation Missions	State Missions	Annie Arm- strong	Lottie Moon	Other SBC Missions Expenses	Non SBC Missions Expenses	Cong- Property Value	Cong- Debt
Church												
Bellview		49082	1273	100	2945	100	100	100	550	3888	200,000	0
Laurel Springs		49217	2963	300	1200	800	300	650	2695	7500	300,000	0
Liberty		13015	2080	70	1000	35	25	100	307	315	40,000	0
Mount Carmel		20365	1538	0	600	0	150	150	300	2	576,900	0
Osborne Memorial		30000	6000	100	800	0	175	175	0	0	150,000	0
TOTALS		101,679	13854	570	6545	935	750	1175	3852	11705	1,261,900	0







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**Preacher:**

**Rev. John McCray**

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# ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

## ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION (INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)

SEPTEMBER 9 AND 10, 2005

### PARTNERS IN THE HARVEST

#### FRIDAY EVENING:

|                                      |                                 |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 7:15 Musical Prelude                 | Wilma Foster                    |
| 7:30 Hymn # 428                      | <i>Ring the Bells of Heaven</i> |
| Welcome                              | Rev. Ralph Smith                |
| Opening Prayer                       | Rev. Roy Houser                 |
| Roll Call and Seating of Messengers: | Bob Richardson                  |
| Bellview                             | Laurel Springs                  |
| Liberty                              | Mount Carmel                    |
| Osborne Memorial                     |                                 |
| Recognition of Guests                | Bob Richardson                  |
| 7:50 Hymn # 424                      | <i>Heavenly Sunlight</i>        |
| 7:55 Credentials Committee Report    |                                 |
| 8:00 Seating of Messengers           | Bob Richardson                  |
| First Baptist of Sparta              |                                 |
| 8:05 Historian Report                | Mary Rector                     |
| 8:10 Special Music                   | Laurel Springs Choir            |
| 8:20 Baptist Retirement Homes        | Rev. Gayle Brown                |
| Baptist State Convention             | Rev. Lester Evans               |
| 8:35 Hymn # 581                      | <i>Jesus Saves</i>              |
| 8:40 Special Music                   | Mount Carmel                    |
| 8:55 Sermon                          | Rev. Ralph Smith                |
| Closing Hymn of Fellowship #387      | <i>Blest Be the Tie</i>         |
| Benediction                          | Rev. Everette Shaw              |

**SATURDAY MORNING:**

|                                               |                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| <b>8:50 Musical Prelude</b>                   | <b>Wilma Foster</b>                          |
| <b>9:00 Opening Prayer</b>                    | <b>Rev. Larry Powers</b>                     |
| <b>9:10 Hymn # 547</b>                        | <b><i>I Stand Amazed in the Presence</i></b> |
| <b>9:15 Welcome and Recognition of Guests</b> | <b>Bob Richardson</b>                        |
| <b>9:25 Reports:</b>                          |                                              |
| <b>Executive Board</b>                        | <b>Bob Richardson</b>                        |
| <b>Treasurer</b>                              | <b>Irene Wagner</b>                          |
| <b>Director of Mission</b>                    | <b>Ross Wagner</b>                           |
| <b>9:35 Hymn # 444</b>                        | <b><i>Sunlight</i></b>                       |
| <b>9:40 Special Music</b>                     | <b>Osborne Memorial <i>Crossbeams</i></b>    |
| <b>9:50 Hymn # 406</b>                        | <b><i>The Solid Rock</i></b>                 |
| <b>9:55 Reports:</b>                          |                                              |
| <b>Finance (Budget)</b>                       | <b>Irene Wagner</b>                          |
| <b>Baptist Children's Home</b>                | <b>Ross Wagner</b>                           |
| <b>Youth</b>                                  | <b>Wanda Cleary</b>                          |
| <b>Auditor's Report</b>                       |                                              |
| <b>10:25 Special Music</b>                    | <b>Liberty Dennis Joines</b>                 |
| <b>10:35 Nominating Committee Report</b>      | <b>Wilma Foster</b>                          |
| <b>10:45 Hymn # 290</b>                       | <b><i>I Am Thine, O Lord</i></b>             |
| <b>10:50 Memorial Service</b>                 | <b>Wanda Cleary</b>                          |
| <b>11:00 Special Music</b>                    | <b>First Baptist</b>                         |
| <b>11:15 Sermon</b>                           | <b>Rev. John McCray</b>                      |
| <b>In One Accord</b>                          |                                              |
| <b>Philippians 2:1-8</b>                      |                                              |
| <b>Benediction &amp; Blessing</b>             | <b>Rev. Dana Hines</b>                       |
| <b>Lunch</b>                                  |                                              |



## Nominating Committee Report

### Officers 2005-2006

|                           |                                |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Moderator                 | Larry Powers, Bellview         |
| Vice-Moderator            | Dana Hines, Laurel Springs     |
| Clerk                     | Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs   |
| Treasurer                 | Dorothy Brooks, Bellview       |
| Assistant Clerk/Treasurer | Irene Wagner, Liberty          |
| Auditor                   | Judith Sands, Bellview         |
| Historian                 | Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial  |
| Pianist                   | Dorothy Brooks, Bellview       |
| Assistant Pianist         | Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs   |
| Chorister                 | Buster Story, Laurel Springs   |
| Assistant Chorister       |                                |
| Youth Director            | Wanda Cleary, Osborne Memorial |
| Assistant Youth Director  |                                |
| VBS Director              | Ross Wagner, Liberty           |

### Nominating Committee

|                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Wilma Foster, Chairman | Laurel Springs       |
| Steven Joines          | Bellview             |
| Irene Wagner           | Liberty              |
| Jimmy Gillespie        | Mount Carmel         |
| Roger Pugh             | Osborne Memorial     |
|                        | First Baptist Sparta |

### Finance Committee

|                          |                      |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Dorothy Brooks, Chairman | Bellview             |
| Joann Hoppers            | Liberty              |
| Jan Shaw                 | Mount Carmel         |
| Reba Osborne             | Osborne Memorial     |
| Shelia Taylor            | Laurel Springs       |
| Lorraine Brooks          | First Baptist Sparta |

### Music Committee

|                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Director           | Buster Story, Laurel Springs |
| Assistant Director |                              |
| Pianist            | Dorothy Brooks, Bellview     |
| Assistant Pianist  | Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs |

### Youth & Children's Home Committee

|                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Wanda Cleary, Director | Osborne Memorial     |
| Gay Scott              | Bellview             |
| Daina Blevins          | Liberty              |
| Lisa Miles             | Mount Carmel         |
| Amy Hall               | Laurel Springs       |
| Paul Braxton           | First Baptist Sparta |

### Missions Committee

|                          |                      |
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| Dorothy Brooks, Chairman | Bellview             |
| Joyce Farley             | Laurel Springs       |
| Irene Wagner             | Liberty              |
| Marlene Caudill          | Mount Carmel         |
| Wanda Cleary             | Osborne Memorial     |
|                          | First Baptist Sparta |

### Credentials Committee:

|                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Steven Joines   | Bellview         |
| Everett Elliott | Laurel Springs   |
| Dewey Hoppers   | Liberty          |
| Jay Shaw        | Mount Carmel     |
| Wayne Cleary    | Osborne Memorial |

### Ordination Committee:

|                                      |              |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman         | Mount Carmel |
| All Other Pastors in the Association |              |

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman

## 2005 Messengers

|                  |                                                                                                                        |
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| Bellview         | Jarvis Dickens, Sally Dickens,<br>Peggy Powers, Gary Scott<br>Alternates<br>Laura Sheets, Leonard Church               |
| Laurel Springs   | Louise Loggins, Jim Pendergraph,<br>Jane Pendergraph<br>Alternates<br>Nina Elliott, Barbara Petty,<br>Everette Elliott |
| Liberty          | Dewey Hoppers, Dennis Joines,<br>Ross Wagner<br>Alternates<br>Roy Houser, Roger Mabe,<br>Irene Wagner                  |
| Mount Carmel     | Jay Shaw, Bruce Wood,<br>Jimmy Gillispie, Marvin Shaw                                                                  |
| Osborne Memorial | Wayne Cleary, Wanda Cleary,<br>Alternates<br>Ruth Minnich, Mary Rector,<br>Jill Osborne                                |
| Sparta First     | Cecil Brooks, Beulah Brooks,<br>Elvira Crouse, Linda Yerke,<br>Sandy McCray<br>Alternates<br>Joe Stoker, Brenda Stoker |

## **ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 109<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SESSION**

### **MINUTES**

#### **FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2005**

The Friday evening session of the Alleghany Baptist Association convened at 7:15 PM with a musical prelude by Wilma Foster.

The opening hymn by the congregation was "Ring the Bells of Heaven." Rev. Ralph Smith gave the welcome, and Rev. Roy Houser gave the opening prayer.

Moderator Bob Richardson did the roll call and asked for the seating of the messengers. Then he recognized Gayle Brown from the Baptist Retirement Homes and Lester Evans from the Baptist State Convention.

The congregation sang "Heavenly Sunlight."

Moderator Bob Richardson seated the messengers from Sparta First Baptist Church for the first time.

The historian report was submitted by Mary Rector.

Special music was presented by the Laurel Springs choir.

The congregation sang "Jesus Saves," and special music was performed by Mount Carmel.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. Ralph Smith.

The congregation sang the closing hymn "Blest Be the Tie."

The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Everette Shaw.

## **SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 10, 2005**

The musical prelude was performed by Wilma Foster at 8:50 AM. Rev. Larry Powers gave the opening prayer.

The congregation sang "I Stand Amazed in the Presence." Moderator Bob Richardson gave the welcome.

The Executive Board Report was submitted by Bob Richardson and approved on a second by Rev. Roy Houser.

The Treasurer's Report was submitted by Irene Wagner and approved on a second by Dewey Hoppers. The Director of Missions Report was submitted by Ross Wagner and approved after a second by Everett Elliott.

The congregation sang "The Solid Rock." The Finance Report was submitted by Irene Wagner and approved on a second by Dewey Hoppers.

The Baptist Children's Home Report was submitted by Ross Wagner and approved after a second by Rev. Dana Hines.

The Youth Report was submitted by Wanda Cleary and approved on a second by Elvira Crouse.

Special music was performed by Dennis Joines from Liberty Baptist Church.

The Nominating Committee Report was submitted by Wilma Foster and approved by a show of hands.

The congregation sang "I Am Thine, O Lord."

The Memorial Service was presented by Wanda Cleary.

We had a Special Farewell to outgoing moderator Bob Richardson for all of his years of faithful service.

Special music was performed by Rev. John McCray and his family from Sparta First Baptist Church.

The sermon was given by Rev. John McCray of Sparta First Baptist Church.

Rev Dana Hines gave the Benediction and Blessing.

## History of Liberty Baptist Church

With only three other Baptist churches existing in Alleghany County, some men and women met in New Salem on August 29, 1886 for the purpose of organizing Liberty Baptist Church. At this organizational meeting Elder T. M. Honeycutt was chosen as moderator and Elder W. M. Hall as secretary. Thirteen members were enrolled and proceeded to elect Elder Honeycutt as pastor and Ross McHargue as church clerk. The Articles of Faith and Church Covenant were adopted.

At the second meeting delegates were elected to the convention, and at the third meeting a committee reported that half an acre of land had been secured from Meredith Richardson and wife for five dollars. Soon a one-room frame building was constructed and furnished with handmade pulpit, pews, and table.

In the same year that Liberty was constituted, it was one of three churches in the county that participated in organizing the Ashe and Alleghany Association. In 1890 a delegate was sent to the Convention and a monetary gift to the State Board.

The first minister ordained was Franklin B. Cheek in 1890. David M. Stamper was also ordained that same year.

In 1899 an organ was presented to the church by Professor Charles E. Taylor of Wake Forest College.

Whitehead parsonage and forty acres of land were purchased for a pastor's home in 1905 by Laurel Springs, Liberty, New Hope, Pine Fork, and Sparta churches. The old dwelling was soon replaced with a two-story frame house. In 1947 Liberty constructed a new home and added improvements from time to time.



In 1909 when the church building became inadequate, an additional acre of land was purchased to enlarge the church grounds. Fielden W. Cheek, T. C. Shepherd, Arthur Fender, and Mack D. Wagoner were elected as the building committee. The contract for the present building was given to Fielden Caudill. The design was a symbolic church with Gothic shaped windows and a tall spire over the belfry supporting a huge, sweet-toned church bell, supposedly a gift from Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fender. Additional pews and a modern pulpit were added as was a piano which was purchased about 1924. Years later the pulpit and communion chairs were presented as a memorial to Mrs. Fielden W. Cheek by her son, Foster F. Cheek.

Another acre of land was purchased in 1910 by William Bryan Cheek for a church cemetery. The first grave was that of Mrs. William Bryan Cheek in 1911. A three thousand-dollar trust fund was set up in 1945 for the purpose of changing the cemetery to a separate, perpetual care cemetery.

Early in the church's history a Sunday School was organized, supposedly by Joseph F. Cheek. The Training Union, organized by Kemp M. Estep, was possibly the first in the association. The Woman's Missionary Society had it's beginning in 1924 with Mrs. N. C. Teague as organizer and Mrs. J. T. Fender as the first president. Liberty was among the first to have Vacation Bible School.

In 1969 the church, through money borrowed from the Baptist State Convention, had the church lifted from it's foundation and moved aside so that a basement with Sunday School rooms, a kitchen, and bathrooms could be built and a furnace installed. Services were held in Whitehead Community Building during the time of construction.

Later used pews and pulpit furniture were purchased from a church in Orange County. The electronic organ, given in memory of Randy Cleary, was first used on April 18, 1971.

Ross Wagner represented the Association on the General Board of the Baptist State Convention from 1981 to 1984, as possibly its youngest member, being the age of twenty-one when his term began. Ross grew up in Liberty Baptist Church, finished college, then joined the Mission Service Corps, and served with the Baptist Student Union at the University of Minnesota in Duluth. He received monthly contributions to help with his support.

Some former members, maintaining an interest in the home church, have generously supported it. Among their gifts have been a communion service, carpet, hymnals, offering plates, hard surfacing the drive, lawn improvements, and a brick church sign. The church was also remembered with sizeable sums of money in the wills of J. T. Fender and Mrs. Edna Johnson.

Other improvements that have been made include installation of storm windows, building an enclosed pavilion and handicapped entrance, refinishing floors, new paint and carpet, and replacement of two small furnaces with one large unit. In 1998 the old storm windows were replaced with double-pane windows, greatly improving the looks of the building and helping with heating and cooling.

A piano was purchased in the year 2000 with memorial fund money for Mabel Estep Richardson.

New tables and chairs were also purchased for the classrooms.

More recent improvements made since the 2000 Associational meeting at Liberty, have been installation of gutters, repair work on the picnic shelter, and a new outdoor sign.

In honor of Jerry McMillian, walls were painted, new bathroom fixtures, new carpet and tile, and a new kitchen sink were installed in the basement. A sound system was donated by Colonel and Marie Holbrook in memory of his late sister, Bernice Hoover and in honor of his sister, Blanche Brady. Basement steps were improved with material and labor being donated by Brother Arvie and Sister Lynn Perry.

Twenty-four pastors have served Liberty Baptist Church since its existence in 1886. Ralph Smith, the current pastor, has served since 1972.

Tom Neville, who was ordained September 7, 1980, served for a period of time as assistant pastor. Roy Houser now serves as assistant pastor.

The church has been served by nineteen church clerks. Walton Joines is presently serving. Mrs. Leonis C. Joines, a member and former Associational Historian (1961 – 1972), served as church clerk for twenty-three years. She researched and recorded the history of the Alleghany Baptist Association from its beginning, preserved original Associational annuals (1886 – 1964), had them bound in two volumes, and presented them to the Association. At her death her personal set was donated to the Alleghany Historical Society and is available for reference at the Alleghany Library.

Twenty-one deacons have served the church. Those presently serving are Walton Joines, Roger Mabe, Dewey Hoppers, and Larry Delp.

Mrs. Marie Caudill Holbrook served the church for thirty years as church treasurer.

The church continues to have Sunday School, worship service, mid-week Bible study, two revivals most years, Vacation Bible School, and an Easter Sunrise Service (since 1971). A Children's Church was begun as part of the Sunday morning worship service. The church participates in the fall Associational Revival, the Live Nativity, and the cookout at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville.

For several years the church has hosted a youth group of about 85 from First Baptist Church in Auburndale, Florida.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Mary P. Rector*

## **Executive Board Report**

Greetings from the Executive Board, it has been a good year in our Association. We have had opportunities to help the less fortunate those in need. We have tried to set up checks within our missions committee to verify actual need. It is our goal to work together to accomplish what one church could not.

As I write this report, you know the tragedy Katrina has caused. The effect it will have on our area will probably be felt in higher gas and heating oil prices to begin with, but there will be more. The request for help will be much greater this year. I know our churches are giving to the Baptist Men and other groups who are trying to feed and help these victims of this disaster that is beyond words to describe.

We have already been close on our finances this year, but we have been able to operate and do the things that we proposed to do this year.

As you hear the reports from our committees, you will see the hard work and blessings that have come from what we did with your physical as well as financial support this year.

Our renewed fellowship with Sparta First is such a blessing. It has been wonderful to have them be an active part of what we did this year with the youth and all other activities.

Our churches have grown, by numbers who were baptized, but also I've seen great spiritual growth as well. Maybe we belong to six different churches, but we truly belong to "The Church," established by our Lord. The closeness, love, and depth of commitment I see has truly blessed my heart. No matter what we face in the coming year, with God's help and leadership, we will go forward for Him.

I must take a moment to once again thank, from the bottom of my heart, the ones who faithfully serve your churches on this Executive Board. What a privilege it has been to be a part of this group. Their commitment and dedication has always been an inspiration for me. Their love for the Lord and His work reflects the mirror of what God's Word says we ought to be.

I pray for your continued support for your association. In tough times, God's people will persevere.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Richardson

Moderator: Alleghany Missionary Baptist Association



## **ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH REPORT**

### **2004-2005**

The Alleghany Baptist Associational Youth participated in the following events this year:

- |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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| October  | Associational Youth Night and Pizza<br>(Sunday night of the Associational Revival)                                                                                                                    |
| October  | Judgment House (Evangelistic Drama)<br>Howard's Creek Baptist Church of Boone                                                                                                                         |
| December | New Testaments were given away and churches decorated treat bags that were filled and distributed at the Christmas give-away held by Cora's Charities.                                                |
| December | Live Nativity at Trojan Village<br>Our young people braved the cold to portray the birth of Christ. <i>The Alleghany News</i> placed picture of the Live Nativity on the front page of the newspaper. |
| March    | Bowling and Pizza Party                                                                                                                                                                               |
| May      | Associational Youth Revival was held at First Baptist Church of Sparta.                                                                                                                               |
| July     | Baptist Children's Home Picnic at Thomasville<br>We had 20 folks from the association help out. We served more staff and children than normal. We got a nice thank you note from Huffman Cottage.     |

## **Bellview Baptist Church 2004-2005**

God continues to bless the fellowship of Bellview materially and, most importantly, spiritually, and we are most grateful for His rich and bounteous gifts.

One of our greatest blessings came in the persons of Larry Powers, our new pastor, and his precious wife, Peggy – who came to us on September 22, 2004. Since that time, the congregation and Larry and Peggy have formed a “mutual admiration society.” The church has also been blessed with sixteen new members.

Even though there have been sad times, as in the loss of three of our precious members to death, we can still praise God because we know that, through Jesus Christ, the last enemy – death – has been defeated. Our loved ones are home and waiting for us to join them for all eternity.

Some changes have been made in the leadership of the church. The number of Deacons has been increased from three to five; the senior citizens now have an activities director; and a Building and Grounds Committee has been formed.

Improvements include re-graveling of the parking lot, painting of the fellowship hall and Sunday School rooms, and new tables and chairs for the fellowship hall.

Mission activities continue to include “Share-a-Meal” (at which time the church prepares and delivers meals to sick or shut-in members of the community); providing Christmas for needy families; on-going support of Cora’s Charities and Rock of Ages Prison Ministry; and special local, national and international needs as they arise.

Established traditions such as selection of a secret pal; Mothers and Fathers Day luncheons; Christmas caroling and distribution of fruit baskets; a Christmas play presented by the youth; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; church picnics at the river; and Old Fashion Day continue.

This report began with gratitude to the Lord for His many blessings and rightfully should end with gratitude – for, without Him, we can do nothing. We ask all who read this to please pray for our church – that we may be good stewards of God’s bounty, honor him in ALL we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

### **Credentials Committee Report**

The Credentials Committee met with Rev. John McCray. The committee unanimously recommends that First Baptist Church of Sparta be approved for full membership in the Alleghany Baptist Association.

Respectfully Submitted,

Steven Joines

Everett Elliott

Dewey Hoppers

Jay Shaw

Wayne Cleary

## Director of Missions Report

**“Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets.”**

Matthew 7:12

Folks from our six churches have lived this out in their dealings with me. You all have been good to me.

Our churches have been good to each other. Our churches have been good to our neighbors. Our churches have welcomed strangers. Our churches have shared God's love through words and deeds.

Folks have volunteered to do missions here and other places. Folks have given money to the association, the Baptist State Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Some churches have a special offering for state missions. The State Missions Offering provides funding for the North Carolina Baptist Men, the North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union, the starting of new churches, and other missions projects in North Carolina. The N. C. Baptist Men staff are coordinating hundreds of volunteers who are serving thousands of meals and giving other assistance to folks who survived Hurricane Katrina. In addition to giving to the N.C. Baptist Men Disaster Fund, we can support all the ministries of the N.C. Baptist Men by giving generously to the State Missions Offering.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Ross Wagner

***First Baptist Church of Sparta***  
**2004-2005**

The church added 19 new members.

We sent a crew from our Baptist Men to Franklin County, North Carolina for disaster relief in October 2004.

Our youth went on a mission trip to Georgia in June 2005.

We held Vacation Bible School in June 2005.

Our ladies have been holding Beth Moore Bible Studies on Monday nights and Tuesday mornings. They also attended a Beth Moore Conference in Raleigh, North Carolina in July 2005.

**Laurel Springs Baptist Church**  
**“Year in Review”**  
**2004-2005**

This review is lovingly dedicated to Kathryn Nielsen.

It has been a “tremendously blessed year in the Lord.” God has been so good to us. Some have come through hardships and sickness and remained strong in their faith in the Lord.

The “little church on the hill,” as it is known, offers love and fellowship to all that come. Feng Wong from China visited one recent Sunday in August. She was very enthused and pleased when one of our Gideons gave her a Bible to take back home in her native language. We are blessed to have 3 men in the Gideons from our church. They are active in and committed to this fine organization.

The highlight in our year of review, is our on going 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Night Gospel Singings, along with refreshments and an opportunity to fellowship with everyone.

Also our first Pictorial Church Directory was completed. Ken and Doris Kern spent many hours taking pictures, getting it compiled, and getting it to the printers. Ken and Doris deserve a "Big round of applause" for their effort.

Meetings on Wednesday nights, for Bible study and prayer concerns, are a blessing. Our Pastor Dana Hines is leading us in the Purpose Driven Life. Participation has been attentive as Dana expounds on the Purpose of our Christian walk with the Lord.

The building and grounds have been well taken care of. Additional mulch improved the landscaping.

Sadly, our oldest member passed away. Madge Shepherd was a few months shy of her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday.

We are blessed to have a fine pastor and his family. The deacons and their families are dedicated men. The WMU, youth, and Sunday School Teachers all work together for the good of the church and church families.

We are tremendously blessed.

### *Laurel Springs Baptist WMU*

The Laurel Springs WMU continues to be active in mission work, meeting each month with average attendance of 15 to 20 ladies.

Projects throughout the year have included special offerings for the four missionaries the church supports, meals for families when there is a death, visitation and food to sick and shut-ins, shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse, as well as other projects.

We are thankful for the willingness of our ladies in the church, even those who cannot attend the meetings, to assist in any projects we are doing in the name of our Lord and to promote missions around the world.



## **Liberty Baptist Church Highlights 2004 – 2005**

The church had a Pastor Appreciation Day for Rev. Ralph Smith. The meal that followed was very good.

The church enjoyed the children's Christmas program. The exchanging of gifts was a good part of the day. The treat bags were fun.

The church held an Easter Sunrise Service followed by a good breakfast.

Rev. Roy Houser continues to teach a weekly Bible Study on Wednesday night with very good attendance.

We hosted a speaker from the Gideons organization.

The Vacation Bible School was very inspirational and had a lot of participation from the children.

Some members participated in the Baptist Children's Home Picnic, the Live Nativity, Christmas caroling, bowling party, and other youth events.

Special offerings were taken through the year.

*MEMORIAL SERVICE*

BELLVIEW

Mr. Guy Brooks  
Mr. Allen Rose  
Mrs. Lessie O. Shepherd

LAUREL SPRINGS

Mrs. Madge Reeves Shepherd

LIBERTY

Mr. William McCracken

MOUNT CARMEL

Mr. Charles F. Shaw, Jr.  
Mrs. Janie Crouse Wagoner

OSBORNE MEMORIAL

Mrs. Agnes Osborne  
Mrs. Carolyn H. Parsons

SPARTA FIRST

Mrs. Ruth Fender  
Mrs. Gladys Pardue  
Mr. Aaron Walker, Jr.





**Mrs. Lessie O. Shepherd**  
**Bellview**



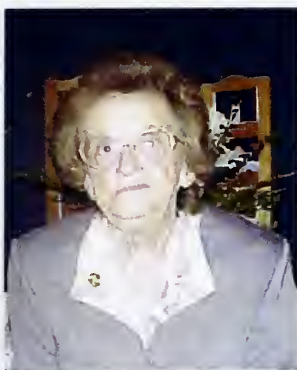
**Mrs. Madge Reeves Shepherd**  
**Laurel Springs**



**Mr. Charles F. Shaw, Jr.**  
**Mount Carmel**



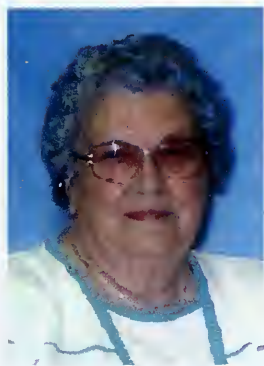
**Mrs. Ruth Fender**  
**Sparta First**



**Mrs. Carolyn H. Parsons**  
**Osborne Memorial**



**Mr. Aaron Walker, Jr.**  
**Sparta First**



**Mrs. Gladys Pardue**  
**Sparta First**



**Mr. Guy Brooks**  
**Bellview**  
**Deacon**





## *Memorial Service*

But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.

For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18

## **Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church 2004-2005**

- ❖ The annual Alleghany Association meeting was held at Mt. Carmel September 10-11, 2004. The church choir sang and Pastor Everette Shaw gave the sermon on Friday night. The 120 year history for Mt. Carmel was presented on Saturday. The WMU ladies provided dinner for approximately 50 people.
- ❖ The church voted to collect paper goods for the Baptist Children's home after hearing about the good works and need for help from Rev Lloyd Rush. Paper goods are taken to the home quarterly. Three large pickup loads of paper goods, laundry soap, and cleaning supplies have been donated to the children's home. The church family at Mt. Carmel has shown great generosity in helping the Children's home.
- ❖ The Alleghany Association Revival was held at Mt. Carmel on October 21. The Fall Revival started November 1<sup>st</sup> with Pastor Max Combs preaching. . The Spring Revival began May 17<sup>th</sup> again with Pastor Max Combs. The Going Home Singers, Jay Shaw, Marvin & Betty Shaw sang.
- ❖ Tommy Nichols joined the church in October. Brooke Knott, great granddaughter of Wilma Ayers made a profession in January and was baptized on August 26<sup>th</sup>. Brooke is the daughter of Kim & David Stanley and granddaughter of Sylvia Ayers Carter. Church members were blessed to witness the baptism following Worship service.

- ❖ A church railing was installed by Jay Shaw in May on the platform at the pulpit.
  - ❖ Decoration Service was held July 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Mt. Carmel cemetery. Communion and Foot Washing service was held on August 7<sup>th</sup>.
  - ❖ The Sunday night Adult Bible Study program completed the "Life Builders" series this year and began the study of Revelations.
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- ❖ The church supported Chuck & Megan Ainsworth in their missionary work in Cambodia and Tim & Dena Debord's missionary work. Approximately 15 families have been helped with medical expenses and fuel bills this year.
  - ❖ With sorrow we honor the passing of Junior Shaw and Janie Crouse Wagoner. Members of Mt Carmel now in the arms of Jesus.

#### Fellowship Events:

- ❖ Fifth Sunday fellowship dinners continued throughout the year. Monthly Worship Service with special singing was held with the following groups: Faith Trio, Miracle Gospel Singers, Going Home Singers, and Herb Thomas & the Beacons.

#### Holiday Events:

- ❖ The church and youth collected boxes for the Franklin Graham Operation Shoebox event. We sent 23 boxes to the Boone collection site.
- ❖ Both adult and youth had a Christmas play with the youth presenting "The Little Angel That was Always Late" and the adults "Christmas Rapture". Candy, apples and special gifts were enjoyed by all.

- ❖ The tradition of “Singin’ Out the ‘Old and in the New” continued this year with over 100 people attending this great event.
- ❖ Easter Sunrise Service was held on March 27<sup>th</sup> with special singing by Jay Shaw. Service was followed by a Fellowship breakfast and Easter Egg hunt for the youth. Candy, prizes, Bible verses and gifts were enjoyed by the youth.
- ❖ The oldest and youngest mother and father were honored with cards and gift checks on Mother’s Day and Father’s Day. The youth made special cards and presented mothers and father with gifts on their special day.
- ❖ Vacation Bible School:  
The theme for Vacation Bible School was a Jungle Adventure- Discovering God’s Love. A jungle forest was built in the church basement complete with gorilla. Bible verses were hung in the tree limbs like fruit and the youth “picked the fruit” as they answered Biblical questions. Refreshments were enjoyed at the “Jungle Café” following bible study and craft making.

**Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church**  
**WMU**  
**2004-2005**

The WMU meets the second Thursday of each month at the church Fellowship Hall at 7 PM.

On September 25, 2004, the WMU participated in the Mountain Heritage Festival in downtown Sparta with an offering of many canned goods, baked items, and crafts.

They served food for the Alleghany Association meeting on Sat. Sept. 11, in the Fellowship Hall.

A donation of \$150.00 was sent to a family in Arcadia, Florida, who lost everything to Hurricane Charlie on August 13. New tablecloths were purchased for the tables in the Fellowship Hall. A delicious Thanksgiving meal was served by the ladies on November 28.

A donation was made to Chuck and Meghan Ainsworth who were serving as teachers in Cambodia.

Trash cans were filled with paper products, detergent, soap, etc. for newlyweds Matthew and Tera Shaw, and Jason and Alison Blevins.

The WMU purchased and wrapped 50 gifts for the children who attended the Christmas Play at the church in December. Extra gifts were donated to needy children and distributed by Ross Wagner. The WMU sponsored a family at Christmas who had a family member in prison. They paid an electric bill for a church member, filled a basket with many items for a church member who has cancer. In February, we celebrated Pastor Everette Shaw's birthday and Pastor Appreciation with lunch and gifts after worship service. We celebrated Mother's Day and Father's Day with gifts to the parents of the congregation. Members met on August 17 to make kraut to sell at the Mtn. Heritage Festival in September.

Ham and coffee were taken to bereaved families during the year. Monetary gifts were sent to several members of the church family for sickness, surgery, or hardships. Numerous cards were sent to sick and bereaved in the church and community during the year.

***Osborne Memorial Baptist Church***  
**Highlights 2004 – 2005**

First and foremost we give God thanks for all the good things He has done for us in our church this past year.

Our church added 2 new members by baptism. We participated in the Associational Revival in October.

Our church attended a drama "Judgment House" in a church in the Boone area.

During December we helped with Live Nativity and went Christmas caroling. We also presented poinsettias to some shut-ins, had a Christmas play and communion.

Our coins the children collect each Sunday were sent to a Navajo Reservation in New Mexico, Baptist Children's Home, and Ebenezer Children's Home. We also provided Christmas gifts for 4 local children.

During March we were blessed to hear a Gideon speaker and donated Gideon Bibles through a special offering.

March 27 we had Easter Sunrise Service with our sister church, Mount Carmel Baptist Church in Turkey Knob and had breakfast.

June 12 we had a farewell dinner for Russell Mabe, our precious and caring pastor, who resigned after 17 years.

We helped with the cookout at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville with 7 of our members attending.

We had Vacation Bible School July 21-23 and enjoyed a cookout on the last night.

The last Sunday in August we celebrated Homecoming. We had decoration with a meal afterward.



*Alleghany Baptist Association*  
**Treasurer's Report 09/01/04 – 08/31/05**

**BALANCE AS OF 09/01/04            \$ 1,808.44**

**RECEIPTS**

|          |                          |               |
|----------|--------------------------|---------------|
| 08/27/04 | Interest                 | .24           |
| 09/01/04 | Bellview                 | 231.05        |
| 09/01/04 | Baptist State Convention | 100.00        |
| 09/13/04 | Skyline Capital Credit   | 28.19         |
| 09/27/04 | Interest                 | .25           |
| 10/01/04 | Baptist State Convention | 100.00        |
| 10/10/04 | Bellview                 | 213.24        |
| 10/27/04 | Interest                 | .18           |
| 11/01/04 | Baptist State Convention | 100.00        |
| 11/05/04 | Bellview                 | 287.34        |
| 11/04/04 | Osborne Memorial         | 200.00        |
| 11/08/04 | Laurel Springs           | <u>300.00</u> |
| 11/28/04 | Interest                 | .14           |
| 12/02/04 | Bellview                 | 262.46        |
| 12/01/04 | Baptist State Convention | 100.00        |
| 12/26/04 | Interest                 | .14           |
| 12/31/04 | Mount Carmel             | 150.00        |
| 01/03/05 | Bellview                 | 280.78        |
| 01/13/05 | Baptist State Convention | 75.00         |
| 01/15/05 | Osborne Memorial         | 200.00        |
| 01/16/05 | Mount Carmel             | 150.00        |
| 01/19/05 | BSC (NCMO)               | 59.08         |
| 02/03/05 | Baptist State Convention | 75.00         |
| 02/06/05 | Bellview                 | <u>136.81</u> |
| 03-06-05 | Osborne Memorial         | 200.00        |
| 03-09-05 | Baptist State Convention | 75.00         |
| 03-27-05 | Laurel Springs           | 300.00        |
| 03-29-05 | Bellview                 | 570.93        |
| 04-09-05 | Baptist State Convention | 75.00         |
| 05-05-05 | Bellview                 | 276.80        |
| 05-02-05 | Baptist State Convention | 75.00         |

**RECEIPTS**

|                 |                                 |                      |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>05-12-05</b> | <b>Osborne Memorial</b>         | <b><u>200.00</u></b> |
| <b>05-29-05</b> | <b>Mount Carmel</b>             | <b>150.00</b>        |
| <b>06-01-05</b> | <b>Liberty</b>                  | <b>1,200.00</b>      |
| <b>06-02-05</b> | <b>Baptist State Convention</b> | <b>75.00</b>         |
| <b>06-06-05</b> | <b>Bellview</b>                 | <b>339.19</b>        |
| <b>06-27-05</b> | <b>Laurel Springs</b>           | <b>600.00</b>        |
| <b>06-29-05</b> | <b>Bellview</b>                 | <b>294.94</b>        |
| <b>06-25-05</b> | <b>Mount Carmel</b>             | <b>150.00</b>        |
| <b>07-02-05</b> | <b>Baptist State Convention</b> | <b>75.00</b>         |
| <b>08-01-05</b> | <b>Bellview</b>                 | <b>328.47</b>        |
| <b>08-01-05</b> | <b>Mount Carmel</b>             | <b>150.00</b>        |
| <b>08-02-05</b> | <b>Baptist State Convention</b> | <b><u>75.00</u></b>  |

***TOTAL RECEIPTS*** ***\$ 8,260.23***

**DISBURSEMENTS**

|                 |                                                 |               |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>09/11/04</b> | <b>#1121 Lawson Horton<br/>(Honorarium)</b>     | <b>50.00</b>  |
| <b>09/13/04</b> | <b>Automatic Deduction-Skyline</b>              | <b>29.96</b>  |
| <b>09/16/04</b> | <b>Automatic Deduction-ABSBC</b>                | <b>20.00</b>  |
| <b>09/18/05</b> | <b>#1122 Reliable (Office)</b>                  | <b>63.62</b>  |
| <b>09/19/04</b> | <b>#1123 Grandview Funeral<br/>(Missions)</b>   | <b>100.00</b> |
| <b>09/20/04</b> | <b>#1124 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>               | <b>441.75</b> |
| <b>10/12/04</b> | <b>Automatic Deduction-Skyline</b>              | <b>28.12</b>  |
| <b>10/17/04</b> | <b>#1125 Pizza Hut (Youth)</b>                  | <b>150.07</b> |
| <b>10/18/04</b> | <b>Automatic Deduction-ABSBC</b>                | <b>20.00</b>  |
| <b>10/20/04</b> | <b>#1126 T.R. Wagner (Salary)</b>               | <b>441.75</b> |
| <b>10/25/04</b> | <b>#1127 Blue Ridge<br/>Electric (Missions)</b> | <b>50.00</b>  |
| <b>10/25/04</b> | <b>#1128 IRS (3rd Quarter)</b>                  | <b>229.50</b> |
| <b>10/28/04</b> | <b>#1129 Kerr Drug<br/>(Missions)</b>           | <b>85.94</b>  |

## DISBURSEMENTS

|          |                                         |               |
|----------|-----------------------------------------|---------------|
| 11/17/04 | #1130 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 441.75        |
| 11/12/04 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 28.52         |
| 11/16/04 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 11/28/04 | Bank Service Charge                     | 10.00         |
| 12/06/04 | #1131 T.R. Wagner<br>(Missions – NTs)   | 165.00        |
| 12/13/04 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 27.86         |
| 12/16/04 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 12/14/04 | #1132 Reliable (Office)                 | 47.57         |
| 12/15/04 | #1133 T.R. Wagner<br>(Missions - Fruit) | 52.91         |
| 12/15/04 | #1134 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 441.75        |
| 01/12/05 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 29.14         |
| 01/19/05 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 01/24/05 | #1135 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 441.75        |
| 01/27/05 | #1136 IRS (4th Quarter)                 | 229.50        |
| 02/03/05 | #1137 T.R. Wagner<br>(Mileage)          | 63.00         |
| 02/11/05 | #1138 Postmaster<br>(P O Box Rent)      | 36.00         |
| 02/11/05 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 28.45         |
| 02/15/05 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 02/16/05 | #1139 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | <u>441.75</u> |
| 03-13-05 | #1140 Trojan Bowl<br>(Youth–Bowling)    | 250.84        |
| 03/14/05 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 27.99         |
| 03/15/05 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 03/21/05 | #1141 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 441.75        |
| 03/28/05 | First Community<br>(Bank Charge)        | 28.00         |
| 04/12/05 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline             | 28.01         |
| 04/18/05 | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC               | 20.00         |
| 04/18/05 | #1143 First Community<br>(Box Rent)     | 90.00         |
| 04/19/05 | #1142 T.R. Wagner (Salary)              | 441.75        |

## DISBURSEMENTS

|                               |                                                 |                    |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 04/28/05                      | #1144 IRS (1st Quarter)                         | 229.50             |
| 05/12/05                      | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                     | 29.39              |
| 05/18/05                      | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC                       | 20.00              |
| 05/19/05                      | #1145 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                      | <u>441.75</u>      |
| 06/13/05                      | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                     | 28.17              |
| 06/18/05                      | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC                       | 20.00              |
| 06/19/05                      | #1146 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                      | 441.75             |
| 06/20/05                      | #1147 Postmaster<br>(Stamps)                    | 7.40               |
| 07/12/05                      | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                     | 28.41              |
| 07/18/05                      | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC                       | 20.00              |
| 07/05/05                      | #1148 Walmart<br>(Baptist Children's Home)      | 175.98             |
| 07/05/05                      | #1149 WilcoHess<br>(Baptist Children's Home)    | 18.81              |
| 07/05/05                      | #1150 Food Lion<br>(Baptist Children's Home)    | 64.49              |
| 07/18/05                      | #1151 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                      | 441.75             |
| 07/14/05                      | #1152 IRS (2nd Quarter)                         | 229.50             |
| 08/08/05                      | #1153 T.R. Wagner<br>(Travel 60 & Office 41.59) | 101.59             |
| 08/12/05                      | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                     | 28.77              |
| 08/15/05                      | Automatic Deduction-ABSBC                       | 20.00              |
| 08/15/05                      | #1154 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                      | 441.75             |
| 08/24/05                      | #1155 Copy Express<br>(Minutes)                 | <u>196.45</u>      |
| <b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>    |                                                 | <b>\$ 8,609.46</b> |
| <b>BALANCE AS OF 08/31/05</b> |                                                 | <b>\$1,459.21</b>  |

**RECEIPTS**

|                                 |                      |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Bellview</b>                 | <b>\$3,222.01</b>    |
| <b>Laurel Springs</b>           | <b>\$1,200.00</b>    |
| <b>Liberty</b>                  | <b>\$1,200.00</b>    |
| <b>Mount Carmel</b>             | <b>\$ 750.00</b>     |
| <b>Osborne Memorial</b>         | <b>\$ 800.00</b>     |
| <b>Skyline</b>                  | <b>\$ 28.19</b>      |
| <b>Baptist State Convention</b> | <b>\$1,059.08</b>    |
| <b>Interest</b>                 | <b><u>\$ .95</u></b> |

**TOTAL RECEIPTS**                      **\$8,260.23**

**DISBURSEMENTS**

|                                         |                      |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Salary</b>                           | <b>6000.00</b>       |
| <b>Social Security</b>                  | <b>459.00</b>        |
| <b>Travel &amp; Seminars</b>            | <b>123.00</b>        |
| <b>Youth</b>                            | <b>660.19</b>        |
| <b>Missions</b>                         | <b>453.85</b>        |
| <b>Hispanic Missions</b>                | <b>0</b>             |
| <b>Evangelism &amp; Church Training</b> | <b>0</b>             |
| <b>WMU</b>                              | <b>0</b>             |
| <b>Printing Minutes</b>                 | <b>196.45</b>        |
| <b>Telephone</b>                        | <b>342.79</b>        |
| <b>Operating Expense</b>                | <b><u>374.18</u></b> |

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS**              **\$8,609.46**

**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
2005-2006**

| <b>Item</b>           | <b>2004-2005<br/><i>Budget</i></b> | <b>2004-2005<br/><i>Disbursements</i></b> | <b>2005-2006<br/><i>Budget</i></b> |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Salary</b>         | <b>6000.00</b>                     | <b>6000.00</b>                            | <b>6000.00</b>                     |
| <b>Social</b>         | <b>459.00</b>                      | <b>459.00</b>                             | <b>459.00</b>                      |
| <b>Security</b>       |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Travel</b>         | <b>200.00</b>                      | <b>123.00</b>                             | <b>200.00</b>                      |
| <b>&amp; Seminars</b> |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Youth</b>          | <b>800.00</b>                      | <b>660.19</b>                             | <b>800.00</b>                      |
| <b>Missions</b>       | <b>1000.00</b>                     | <b>453.85</b>                             | <b>600.00</b>                      |
| <b>Hispanic</b>       | <b>0</b>                           | <b>0</b>                                  | <b>1000.00</b>                     |
| <b>Missions</b>       |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Evangelism</b>     | <b>200.00</b>                      | <b>0</b>                                  | <b>200.00</b>                      |
| <b>&amp; Church</b>   |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Training</b>       |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>WMU</b>            | <b>100.00</b>                      | <b>0</b>                                  | <b>100.00</b>                      |
| <b>Printing</b>       | <b>350.00</b>                      | <b>196.45</b>                             | <b>400.00</b>                      |
| <b>Minutes</b>        |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Telephone</b>      | <b>350.00</b>                      | <b>342.79</b>                             | <b>350.00</b>                      |
| <b>Operating</b>      |                                    |                                           |                                    |
| <b>Expense</b>        | <b><u>540.00</u></b>               | <b><u>374.18</u></b>                      | <b><u>440.00</u></b>               |
| <b>TOTAL</b>          | <b>9,999.00</b>                    | <b>8,609.46</b>                           | <b>10,549.00</b>                   |



## Web Sites

Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

**[www.northcarolinabaptists.org](http://www.northcarolinabaptists.org) or [www.bscnc.org](http://www.bscnc.org)**

Southern Baptist Convention

**[www.sbc.net](http://www.sbc.net)**

International Mission Board of the S. B. C.

**[www.imb.org](http://www.imb.org)**

North American Mission Board of the S. B. C.

**[www.namb.net](http://www.namb.net)**

Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina

**[www.brh.org](http://www.brh.org)**

North Carolina Baptist Hospital

**[www.wfubmc.edu](http://www.wfubmc.edu)**

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

**[www.bchfamily.org](http://www.bchfamily.org)**

North Carolina Baptist Men

**[www.ncmissions.org](http://www.ncmissions.org)**

North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union

**[www.ncwmu.org](http://www.ncwmu.org)**

LifeWay Christian Resources

**[www.lifeway.com](http://www.lifeway.com)**

N. C. Baptist Colleges & Universities

**[www.campbell.edu](http://www.campbell.edu)   [www.chowan.edu](http://www.chowan.edu)**

**[www.gardner-webb.edu](http://www.gardner-webb.edu)**

**[www.mhc.edu](http://www.mhc.edu)   [www.wingate.edu](http://www.wingate.edu)**

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

| TIME                 | I Church           | I MODERATOR      | I CLERK         | I PREACHER       | I Chmn.Ex. Comm |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1. 1886, Sep. 24-25  | I Buffalo          | I T.M. Honeycutt | I H.A. Eller    | I G.W. Greene    | I James Eller   |
| 2. 1887, Sep. 22-24  | I New Hope         | I T.M. Honeycutt | I H.A. Eller    | I S.M. Collins   | I James Eller   |
| 3. 1888, Sep. 6-8    | I Apple Grove      | I T.M. Honeycutt | I H.A. Eller    | I T.M. Honeycutt | I James Eller   |
| 4. 1889, Sep. 12-14  | I Landmark         | I W.C. Fields    | I H.A. Eller    | I T.M. Duncan    | I James Eller   |
| 5. 1890, Sep. 18-20  | I Jefferson        | I W.C. Fields    | I H.A. Eller    | I J.F. Fletcher  | I James Eller   |
| 6. 1891, Sep. 17-19  | I Sparta           | I W.C. Fields    | I H.A. Eller    | I F.B. Cheek     | I James Eller   |
| 7. 1892, Sep. 15-17  | I Bethel           | I W.C. Fields    | I H.A. Eller    | I D.J. Harris    | I James Eller   |
| 8. 1893, Sep. 14-16  | I Apple Grove      | I T.M. Duncan    | I H.A. Eller    | I W.H. Glenn     | I James Eller   |
| 9. 1894, Sep. 13-15  | I Healing Springs  | I W.C. Fields    | I H.A. Eller    | I E. Tucker      | I James Eller   |
| 10. 1895, Oct. 3-5   | I Liberty          | I J.H. Doughton  | I R.L. Shoaf    | I T.M. Duncan    | I James Eller   |
| 11. 1896, Oct. 1-3   | I Brushy Fork      | I J.H. Doughton  | I H.A. Eller    | I E. Blevins     | I J.H. Doughton |
| 12. 1897, Sep. 28-30 | I Forest Home      | I J.H. Doughton  | I H.A. Eller    | I E.F. Tatum     | I H.A. Eller    |
| 1. 1897, Nov. 5      | I Sparta           | I J.H. Doughton  | I J.M. Wagoner  | I E. Tucker      | I J.H. Doughton |
| 2. 1898, Oct. 7-9    | I Brush Crk. (Va.) | I L.D. Vaughan   | I J.M. Wagoner  | I F.B. Cheek     | I T.R. Windsor  |
| 3. 1899, Sep. 7-9    | I Laurel Springs   | I L.D. Vaughan   | I W.F. Doughton | I R.K. Johnson   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 4. 1900, Sep. 6-8    | I New Hope         | I W.C. Fields    | I W.F. Doughton | I James Shumate  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 5. 1901, Sep. 5-7    | I Pine Fork        | I W.C. Fields    | I W.F. Doughton | I C.M. Rock      | I R.L. Doughton |
| 6. 1902, Sep. 11-13  | I Sparta           | I L.D. Vaughan   | I W.F. Doughton | I L.D. Vaughan   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 7. 1903, Sep. 10-12  | I Liberty          | I J.H. Doughton  | I T.R. Windsor  | I J.W. Burchett  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 8. 1904, Sep. 8-10   | I Brush Crk. (Va.) | I E. Blevins     | I W.M. Wagoner  | I F.B. Cheek     | I J.F. Cheek    |

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|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 9. 1905, Sep. 7-9    | I Laurel Springs    | I E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I L.M. Holloway  | I W.C. Fields   |
| 10. 1906, Sep. 7-9   | I New Hope          | I E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I E. Blevins     | I R.L. Doughton |
| 11. 1907, Sep. 6-8   | I Pine Fork         | I E. Blevins    | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 12. 1908, Sep. 10-12 | I Pleasant G. (Va.) | I J.F. Fletcher | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 13. 1909, Sep. 10-12 | I Liberty           | I R.L. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I R.L. Doughton |
| 14. 1910, Sep. 9-11  | I Laurel Springs    | I W.L. Hoppers  | I H.C. Edwards   | I W.L. Hoppers   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 15. 1911, Sep. 8-10  | I New Hope          | I W.F. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I D.S. Hubble    | I R.L. Doughton |
| 16. 1912, Sep. 6-8   | I Bellview          | I B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 17. 1913, Sep. 12-14 | I Chestnut Grove    | I B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Jno. E. Ray    | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 18. 1914, Sep. 11-13 | I Pine Fork         | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I                | I W.F. Doughton |
| 19. 1915, Sep. 10-12 | I Liberty           | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I L.B. Murray    | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 20. 1916, Sep. 8-10  | I Mt. Carmel        | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I C.M. Cope      | I G.T. Caudill  |
| 21. 1917, Sep. 7-9   | I Laurel Springs    | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I G.M. Reeves    | I W.F. Doughton |
| 22. 1918, Sep. 6-8   | I New Hope          | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I S.L. Blevins   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 23. 1919, Sep. 12-13 | I Bellview          | I B.E. Reeves   | I J.F. Roberts   | I W.A. Hash      | I R.L. Doughton |
| 24. 1920, Sep. 10-12 | I Chestnut Ridge    | I S.L. Blevins  | I W.F. Jones     | I Coy Blackburn  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 25. 1921, Sep. 9-11  | I Pine Fork         | I John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I W.L. Hoppers   | I John M. Cheek |
| 26. 1922, Sep. 8-10  | I Liberty           | I John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I C.E. Maddry    | I John M. Cheek |
| 27. 1923, Sep. 7-9   | I Mt. Carmel        | I John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I A. Lamonds     | I John M. Cheek |
| 28. 1924, Sep. 12-14 | I Sparta            | I John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 29. 1925, Sep. 11-13 | I Laurel Springs    | I John M. Cheek | I N.C. Teague    | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 30. 1926, Sep. 10-12 | I New Hope          | I John M. Cheek | I W.B. Reeves    | I N.C. Teague    | I John M. Cheek |
| 31. 1927, Sep. 9-11  | I Bellview          | I W. Franklin   | I W.F. Jones     | I W. Franklin    | I J.T. Fender   |
| 32. 1928, Sep. 7-9   | I Liberty           | I W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I J.M. Page      | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 33. 1929, Sep. 6-8   | I Mt. Carmel        | I W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I A. Hayes       | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 34. 1930, Sep. 12-14 | I Sparta            | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I E. Whisenhunt  | I R. A. Wagoner |
| 35. 1931, Sep. 11-13 | I Laurel Springs    | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I J.L. Underwood | I M.E. Reeves   |
| 36. 1932, Sep. 9-11  | I New Hope          | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I T.M. Hayes     | I M.E. Reeves   |

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| TIME                 | Church           | MODERATOR       | CLERK             | PREACHER           | Chmn.Ex. Comm.  |
|----------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 37. 1933, Sep. 8-10  | Bellview         | I W.F. Doughton | I J.T. Fender     | I C.H. McKnight    | I John M. Cheek |
| 38. 1934, Sep. 7-9   | Liberty          | I J.K. Blum     | I J.T. Fender     | I G.A. Martin      | I T.R. Burgess  |
| 39. 1935, Sep. 6-8   | Mt. Carmel       | I J.K. Blum     | I J.T. Fender     | I S.L. Blevins     | I F.W. Royal    |
| 40. 1936, Sep. 12-14 | Scottville       | I F.W. Royall   | I J.T. Fender     | I S.L. Naff        | I A.O. Joines   |
| 41. 1937, Sep. 10-12 | Pine Fork        | I F.W. Royall   | I J.T. Fender     | I C.H. McKnight    | I A.O. Joines   |
| 42. 1938, Sep. 9-11  | Sparta           | I A.O. Joines   | I Van Miller      | I H.J. Ford        | I John M. Cheek |
| 43. 1939, Sep. 8-10  | Chestnut Grove   | I A.O. Joines   | I Van Miller      | I J.M. Hayes       | I John M. Cheek |
| 44. 1940, Sep. 6-8   | Laurel Springs   | I A.O. Joines   | I Van Miller      | I S.L. Blevins     | I John M. Cheek |
| 45. 1941, Sep. 12-14 | New Hope         | I A.O. Joines   | I Van Miller      | I A.C. Ashley      | I John M. Cheek |
| 46. 1942, Sep. 12-13 | Bellview         | I F.W. Royall   | I Van Miller      | I N.M. Greene      | I W.F. Doughton |
| 47. 1943, Sep. 11-12 | Sparta           | I John M. Cheek | I Van Miller      | I W.T. Whittington | I W.F. Doughton |
| 48. 1944, Sep. 9-10  | Mt. Carmel       | I John M. Cheek | I Van Miller      | I R.H. Satterfield | I W.F. Doughton |
| 49. 1945, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | I John M. Cheek | I Van Miller      | I E.B. Barton      | I W.F. Doughton |
| 50. 1946, Sep. 7-8   | Osborne Memorial | I John M. Cheek | I Van Miller      | I W.H. Caldwell    | I W.F. Doughton |
| 51. 1947, Sep. 13-14 | Scottville       | I Dr. N.D. Fox  | I W.P. Johnson    | I C Gwaltney       | I W.F. Doughton |
| 52. 1948, Sep. 11-12 | Pine Fork        | I Dr. N.D. Fox  | I W.P. Johnson    | I S.L. Blevins     | I W.F. Doughton |
| 53. 1949, Sep. 10-11 | Laurel Springs   | I Dr. N.D. Fox  | I W.P. Johnson    | I J.G. Goodman     | I W.F. Doughton |
| 54. 1950, Sep. 9-10  | New River        | I Van F. Miller | I W.K. Sprinkle   | I F.G. Walker      | I W.F. Doughton |
| 55. 1951, Sep. 8-9   | New Hope         | I Van F. Miller | I J.B. Reed       | I Fred Blevins     | I Van F. Miller |
| 56. 1952, Sep. 13-14 | Chestnut Grove   | I Van F. Miller | I George Shepherd | I E.V. Bumgarner   | I W.F. Doughton |
| 57. 1953, Sep. 12-13 | Bellview         | I Van F. Miller | I George Shepherd | I H.J. Ford        | I W.F. Doughton |
| 58. 1954, Sep. 11-12 | Sparta           | I Van F. Miller | I George Shepherd | I C.H. McKnight    | I A.O. Joines   |
| 59. 1955, Sep. 10-11 | Mt. Carmel       | I Van F. Miller | I George Shepherd | I R.R. Campbell    | I A.O. Joines   |
| 60. 1956, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | I Van F. Miller | I George Shepherd | I Audley Frazier   | I A.O. Joines   |

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|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 61. 1957, Sep. 7-8   | I Osborne Memorial | I Van F. Miller   | I George Shpeherd   | I C.H. McKnight    | I A.O. Joines     |
| 62. 1958, Sep. 7-8   | I Scottville       | I E.C. Minnich    | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Earnest Upchurch | I A.O. Joines     |
| 63. 1959, Sep. 11-12 | I Pine Fork        | I Jack W. Byrd    | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Guy W. Cain      | I Van F. Miller   |
| 64. 1960, Sep. 9-10  | I Laurel Springs   | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Guy W. Cain      | I Van F. Miller   |
| 65. 1961, Sep. 8-9   | I New River        | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. A.E. Sells   | I A.E. Sells       | I Rev. Jack Byrd  |
| 66. 1962, Sep. 7-8   | I New Hope         | I Van Miller      | I Donna Jones       | I Cleo Whitney     | I Jack W. Byrd    |
| 67. 1963, Sep. 6-7   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Bobby Elledge    | I Ben Reeves      |
| 68. 1964, Sep. 11-12 | I Sparta           | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Jack W. Byrd     | I Ben Reeves      |
| 69. 1965, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Lewis Williams  | I Donna Jones       | I James Durham     | I Van F. Miller   |
| 70. 1966, Sep. 8-9   | I Liberty          | I Bobby Elledge   | I Donna Jones       | I Jack Richardson  | I Van F. Miller   |
| 71. 1967, Sep. 9-10  | I Osborne Memorial | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Everett Shaw     | I J.K. Blum       |
| 72. 1968, Sep. 6-7   | I Scottville       | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Austol Youmans   | I J.K. Blum       |
| 73. 1969, Sep. 12-13 | I Pine Fork        | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I J.T. Pardue      | I J.K. Blum       |
| 74. 1970, Sep. 11-12 | I Laurel Springs   | I J.K. Blum       | I Irene R. Wagner   | I Bobby Elledge    | I J.K. Blum       |
| 75. 1971, Sep. 10-11 | I New River        | I Claude Roupe    | I Jimmy L. Warden   | I Michael Sepaugh  | I Claude Roupe    |
| 76. 1972, Sep. 8-9   | I Bellview         | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 77. 1973, Sep. 7-8   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I Micheal Sepaugh  | I Claude Roupe    |
| 78. 1974, Sep. 6-7   | I New Hope         | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 79. 1975, Sep. 12-13 | I Sparta           | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I James Lambert    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 80. 1976, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Jimmy Warden     | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 81. 1977, Sep. 9-10  | I Liberty          | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Bill Ballou      | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 82. 1978, Sep. 8-9   | I Osborne Memorial | I Mac Warren      | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Dwight Leftwich  | I Mac Warren      |
| 83. 1979, Sep. 7-8   | I Pine Fork        | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Glenn Graves     | I Thomas Neville  |
| 84. 1980, Sep. 12-13 | I Laurel Springs   | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Gene Webb        | I Thomas Neville  |
| 85. 1981, Sep. 11-12 | I New Hope         | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Glenn Graves     | I Thomas Neville  |



| TIME                  | Church           | MODERATOR      | CLERK              | PREACHER            | Chmn.Ex        |
|-----------------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 86. 1982, Sep. 10-11  | Belview          | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Howard J. Ford  | Glenn Graves   |
| 87. 1983, Sep. 9-10   | Sparta           | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Tom Graves      | Glenn Graves   |
| 88. 1984, Sep. 7-8    | Mount Carmel     | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Jim Lambert         | Glenn Graves   |
| 89. 1985, Sep. 13-14  | Osborne Memorial | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Dr. Roy J. Smith    | Glenn Graves   |
| 90. 1986, Sep. 12-13  | Liberty          | Glenn Graves   | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bill Ballou    | Glenn Graves   |
| 91. 1987, Sep. 11-12  | Chestnut Grove   | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Tom Lolley     | Bob Richardson |
| 92. 1988, Sep. 10-11  | Pine Fork        | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bill Ballou    | Bob Richardson |
| 93. 1989, Sep. 8-9    | Laurel Springs   | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Bobby Elledge  | Bob Richardson |
| 94. 1990, Sep. 14-15  | New Hope         | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Larry Atwood   | Bob Richardson |
| 95. 1991, Sep. 13-14  | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Johnny Huffman | Bob Richardson |
| 96. 1992, Sep. 11-12  | Sparta           | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Jack Byrd      | Bob Richardson |
| 97. 1993, Sep. 10-11  | Osborne Memorial | Bob Richardson | David Finney       | Rev. Jimmy Warden   | Bob Richardson |
| 98. 1994, Sep. 9-10   | Mount Carmel     | Bob Richardson | Karen Sealey       | Rev. Russell Mabe   | Bob Richardson |
| 99. 1995, Sep. 8-9    | Liberty          | Bob Richardson | Karen Sealey       | Rev. Bill Yates     | Bob Richardson |
| 100. 1996, Sep. 13-14 | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Barbara Richardson | Rev. Dean Adams     | Bob Richardson |
| 101. 1997, Sep. 12-13 | Laurel Springs   | Bob Richardson |                    | Rev. Dana Hines     | Bob Richardson |
| 102. 1998, Sep. 11-12 | Osborne Memorial | Bob Richardson |                    | Rev. Russell Mabe   | Bob Richardson |
| 103. 1999, Sep. 10-11 | Mount Carmel     | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Everette Shaw  | Bob Richardson |
| 103. 2000, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Ralph Smith    | Bob Richardson |
| 104. 2001, Sep. 7-8   | Belview          | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Billy Felts    | Bob Richardson |
| 105. 2002, Sep. 6-7   | Laurel Springs   | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Dana Hines     | Bob Richardson |
| 106. 2003, Sep. 5-6   | Osborne Memorial | Bob Richardson | Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | Rev. Russell Mabe   | Bob Richardson |
| 107. 2004, Sep. 10-11 | Mount Carmel     | Bob Richardson | Joyce Farley       | Rev. Everette Shaw  | Bob Richardson |
| 108. 2005, Sep. 9-10  | Liberty          | Bob Richardson | Joyce Farley       | Rev. Ralph Smith    | Bob Richardson |



| Table A – MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION<br>Director of Missions- Ross Wagner<br>5839 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675 |                                                                  | Year<br>Organ-<br>ized | Year<br>Pastor<br>Came | AM<br>Worship<br>Service<br>Average | Baptisms<br>Total | Other<br>Additions | Total<br>Member-<br>ship | Resident<br>Member-<br>ship |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Church                                                                                                        | Pastor                                                           |                        |                        |                                     |                   |                    |                          |                             |
| Bellview                                                                                                      | Rev. Larry Powers<br>124 Dillard Drive<br>Jefferson NC 28640     | 1896                   | 2004                   | 80                                  | 1                 | 16                 | 116                      | 74                          |
| Laurel Springs                                                                                                | Rev. Dana Hines<br>284 Montieith Acres Rd<br>Hays NC 28635       | 1891                   | 1993                   | 47                                  | 0                 | 0                  | 69                       | 49                          |
| Liberty                                                                                                       | Rev. Ralph Smith<br>376 Claybank Road<br>West Jefferson NC 28694 | 1886                   | 1972                   | 50                                  | 0                 | 0                  | 82                       | 69                          |
| Mount Carmel                                                                                                  | Rev. Everette Shaw<br>783 Shawtown Road<br>Glade Valley NC 28627 | 1884                   | 1952                   | 38                                  | 1                 | 0                  | 193                      | 176                         |
| Osborne Memorial<br>Sparta First<br>(Watchcare)                                                               | Rev. John McCray<br>410 Little River Drive<br>Sparta NC 28675    | 1943<br>1884           | 1988<br>2003           | 40                                  | 1                 |                    |                          |                             |



| <i>Table C –<br/>DISCIPLESHIP<br/>TRAINING</i> | Total<br>Ongoing<br>D. T. | <i>Table D<br/>MUSIC<br/>MINISTRY</i> | Total<br>Music<br>Enroll<br>ment | <i>Table E<br/>WMU</i>      | WMU<br>Total | Ages<br>18 &<br>Over | WMU<br>Leadership<br>Team | Missions<br>Projects<br>Participants |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Church</b>                                  |                           |                                       |                                  |                             |              |                      |                           |                                      |
| <b>Bellview</b>                                | <b>0</b>                  | Bellview                              | 25                               | <b>Bellview</b>             | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>20</b>                            |
| <b>Laurel<br/>Springs</b>                      | <b>0</b>                  | Laurel Springs                        | 21                               | <b>Laurel<br/>Springs</b>   | <b>18</b>    | <b>18</b>            | <b>1</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Liberty</b>                                 | <b>0</b>                  | Liberty                               | 6                                | <b>Liberty</b>              | <b>1</b>     | <b>1</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Mount<br/>Carmel</b>                        | <b>0</b>                  | Mount Carmel                          | 29                               | <b>Mount<br/>Carmel</b>     | <b>14</b>    | <b>10</b>            | <b>4</b>                  | <b>3</b>                             |
| <b>Osborne<br/>Memorial</b>                    | <b>0</b>                  | Osborne<br>Memorial                   | 20                               | <b>Osborne<br/>Memorial</b> | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Sparta First<br/>(Watchcare)</b>            |                           |                                       |                                  |                             |              |                      |                           |                                      |









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**Rev. Larry Powers**

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**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH ANNUAL SESSION**  
**(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE ASSOCIATION)**  
**SEPTEMBER 8 AND 9, 2006**

**BECAUSE YOU CARE**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

|      |                                         |                                 |
|------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 7:15 | Musical Prelude                         | Tammy Marion                    |
| 7:30 | Hymn # 473                              | <i>Victory In Jesus</i>         |
|      | Welcome                                 | Rev. John McCray                |
|      | Opening Prayer                          | Rev. Ralph Smith                |
|      | Roll Call and Seating of Messengers:    |                                 |
|      | Rev. Larry Powers                       |                                 |
|      | Bellview    Laurel Springs    Liberty   |                                 |
|      | Mount Carmel    Osborne Memorial        |                                 |
|      | Sparta First                            |                                 |
|      | Recognition of Guests                   | Rev. Larry Powers               |
| 7:45 | Hymn # 289                              | <i>Showers of Blessings</i>     |
| 7:50 | Special Recognition                     | Wilma Foster                    |
| 7:55 | Historian Report                        | Mary Rector                     |
| 8:00 | Special Music                           | Sparta First                    |
| 8:15 | <b>Baptist Retirement Homes</b>         | <b>Gayle Brown</b>              |
|      | <b>Baptist Children's Homes</b>         | <b>Sandy Gregory</b>            |
|      | <b>Baptist Men</b>                      | <b>Jim Cox</b>                  |
| 8:40 | Hymn # 297                              | <i>I Love to Tell the Story</i> |
| 8:45 | Special Music, Liberty                  | Harvest Time                    |
| 9:00 | Sermon                                  | Rev. John McCray                |
|      | <b>Closing Hymn of Fellowship # 286</b> | <i>Blest Be the Tie</i>         |
|      | Benediction                             | Rev. Everette Shaw              |

**SATURDAY MORNING:**

|       |                                      |                                                       |
|-------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:50  | Musical Prelude                      | Wilma Foster                                          |
| 9:00  | Opening Prayer                       | Rev. Dana Hines                                       |
| 9:05  | Hymn # 307                           | <i>Send the Light</i>                                 |
| 9:10  | Welcome and<br>Recognition of Guests | Rev. Larry Powers                                     |
| 9:20  | Reports:                             |                                                       |
|       | Executive Board                      | Rev. Larry Powers                                     |
|       | Treasurer                            | Irene Wagner                                          |
| 9:35  | Hymn # 371                           | <i>Have Thine Own Way</i>                             |
| 9:40  | Special Music                        | Laurel Springs Choir                                  |
| 9:55  | Hymn # 477                           | <i>Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus</i>                   |
| 10:00 | Reports:                             |                                                       |
|       | Finance (Budget)                     | Irene Wagner                                          |
|       | Youth                                | Wanda Cleary                                          |
|       | Auditor's Report                     | Judith Sands                                          |
|       | Director of Missions                 | Ross Wagner                                           |
|       | Other Business                       |                                                       |
| 10:30 | Special Music                        | Osborne Memorial                                      |
| 10:40 | Nominating Committee                 | Wilma Foster                                          |
| 10:45 | Hymn # 116                           | <i>Take the Name of Jesus With You</i>                |
| 10:50 | Memorial Service                     | Wanda Cleary                                          |
| 11:00 | Special Music                        | Rev. John McCray                                      |
| 11:15 | Sermon                               | Rev. David Blackburn                                  |
|       |                                      | Associational Missionary,<br>Ashe Baptist Association |
|       | Benediction & Blessing               | Rev. Allen Huffman                                    |
|       | Lunch                                |                                                       |

## Nominating Committee Report

### Officers 2006-2007

|                           |                                |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Moderator                 | Larry Powers, Bellview         |
| Vice-Moderator            | Dana Hines, Laurel Springs     |
| Clerk                     | Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs   |
| Treasurer                 |                                |
| Assistant Clerk/Treasurer | Irene Wagner, Liberty          |
| Auditor                   | Judith Sands, Bellview         |
| Historian                 | Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial  |
| Pianist                   | Sally Dickens, Bellview        |
| Assistant Pianist         | Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs   |
| Music Director            | Buster Story, Laurel Springs   |
| Assistant Music Director  | Bruce Wood, Mt. Carmel         |
| Youth Director            | Wanda Cleary, Osborne Memorial |
| Assistant Youth Director  | Paul Braxton, First Baptist    |
| VBS Director              | Ross Wagner, Liberty           |

### Nominating Committee

|                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Wilma Foster, Chairman | Laurel Springs       |
| Steven Joines          | Bellview             |
| Irene Wagner           | Liberty              |
| Jimmy Gillespie        | Mount Carmel         |
| Roger Pugh             | Osborne Memorial     |
| Linda Yerke            | First Baptist Sparta |

## **Finance Committee**

|                                   |                      |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Associational Treasurer, Chairman |                      |
| Brad Mabe,                        | Bellview             |
| Joann Hoppers                     | Liberty              |
| Jan Shaw                          | Mount Carmel         |
| Reba Osborne                      | Osborne Memorial     |
| Shelia Taylor                     | Laurel Springs       |
| Lorraine Brooks                   | First Baptist Sparta |

## **Music Committee**

|                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Director           | Buster Story, Laurel Springs |
| Assistant Director | Bruce Wood, Mount Carmel     |
| Pianist            | Sally Dickens, Bellview      |
| Assistant Pianist  | Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs |

## **Youth & Baptist Children's Home Committee**

|                                  |                  |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Wanda Cleary, Director           | Osborne Memorial |
| Paul Braxton, Assistant Director | First Baptist    |
| Irene Wagner                     | Liberty          |
| Charlene Brewer                  | Mount Carmel     |
| Amy Hall                         | Laurel Springs   |
| Gay Scott                        | Bellview         |



## **Missions Development Committee**

|                        |                  |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Irene Wagner, Chairman | Liberty          |
| Allean Amburn          | Bellview         |
| Joyce Farley           | Laurel Springs   |
| Marlene Caudill        | Mount Carmel     |
| Wanda Cleary           | Osborne Memorial |
| Susie Miller           | First Baptist    |

## **Credentials Committee:**

|                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Steven Joines   | Bellview         |
| Everett Elliott | Laurel Springs   |
| Dewey Hoppers   | Liberty          |
| Jay Shaw        | Mount Carmel     |
| Wayne Cleary    | Osborne Memorial |
|                 | First Baptist    |

## **ORDINATION COMMITTEE:**

|                                      |              |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman         | Mount Carmel |
| All Other Pastors in the Association |              |

Respectfully Submitted,

Wilma Foster, Chairman

**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
109<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SESSION MINUTES**

**FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 8, 2006**

The Friday evening session of the Alleghany Baptist Association convened at 7:15 p.m. with a musical prelude by Tammy Marion.

The opening hymn by the congregation was "Victory in Jesus." Rev. John McCray gave the welcome, and Bob Richardson gave the opening prayer.

The Moderator, Rev. Larry Powers, did the roll call and asked for the seating of the messengers. Then he recognized Gayle Brown from the Baptist Retirement Homes, Sandy Gregory from the Baptist Children's Homes, and Jim Cox from Sparta First Baptist Men.

The congregation sang "Showers of Blessings."

Wilma Foster presented a special recognition of Bob Richardson for his 19 years as Moderator of our Association.

The Historian Report was submitted by Mary Rector.

Special music was preformed by the Sparta First Baptist Choir.

After remarks from our special guests, the congregation sang "I Love to Tell the Story."

## **FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 8, 2006**

Special music was preformed by Harvest Time from Liberty Baptist Church.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. John McCray.

The congregation sang the closing hymn "Blest Be the Tie."

The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Everette Shaw.

## **SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2006**

A musical prelude was preformed by Wilma Foster. At 9 AM Rev. Dana Hines gave the opening prayer.

The congregation sang "Send the Light."

Rev. Larry Powers gave the welcome and recognized our guest, Lester Evans, from the Baptist State Convention.

The Executive Board Report was submitted by Rev. Larry Powers. It was approved on a motion by Everett Elliott and a second by Bob Richardson.

The Treasurer's Report was submitted by Irene Wagner and was approved after a second by Eva Rice.

The congregation sang "Have Thine Own Way."

**SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2006**

Special music was presented by Laurel Springs Choir.

The congregation sang "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus."

The Finance Committee Report was read by Irene Wagner. It was approved after a motion by Elvira Crouse and a second by Rev. Allen Huffman.

The Youth Committee Report was read by Wanda Cleary, and approved on a motion by Irene Wagner and a second by Barbara Petty.

The Auditor's Report was read by Rev. Larry Powers. It was approved on a motion by Irene Wagner and a second by Elvira Crouse.

The Director of Missions Report was submitted by Ross Wagner and approved on a second by Bob Richardson.

Lester Evans delivered the message about the Baptist State Convention.

Special music was presented by the Crossbeams from Osborne Memorial.

The Nominating Committee Report was submitted by Wilma Foster. It was approved after a second by Rev. Dana Hines.

The congregation sang "Take the Name of Jesus With You."

**SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2006**

The Memorial Service was presented by Wanda Cleary.

Special music was presented by Rev. John McCray of Sparta First Baptist.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. David Blackburn of the Ashe Baptist Association.

Rev. Allen Huffman gave the Benediction and the Blessing.

## History of First Baptist Church of Sparta

Sparta Baptist Church was organized by Elders S. M. Collis, William M. Hall, and T. M. Duncan on August 30, 1884. The first services were held in the courthouse with Elder Collis serving as pastor.

A new frame building was constructed a short distance up the street from the present structure, and services began to be held there on June 14, 1885.

No services were held from 1915 to 1921 due to membership conflicts.

As a result of a revival in 1921, the church was revitalized. In 1923 thirty-one people joined the church during a tent meeting.

With the church building being rendered unsafe, a new brick structure was built near the frame building in 1927. On February 1, 1940 the church was destroyed by fire. Within seventeen days plans were in place to rebuild the church. The building was completed in 1943. The parsonage was also constructed in the 1940's. The Education Building was added in 1957-58.

In 1968 the name of the church was changed from Sparta Baptist Church to First Baptist Church of Sparta.



## **History of First Baptist Church of Sparta**

A parking lot was added in 1969. Additional parking was provided later when more property was purchased. The steeple was raised in 1983.

In October 1984, during the church's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration, a time capsule containing memorabilia was placed in the ground at the front of the church. Plans were made to open the capsule during another anniversary celebration.

An extensive renovation and addition project took place in 1993.

Fourteen known pastors have served the First Baptist Church of Sparta during the past 120 years. As mentioned before, Elder S. M. Collis was the first pastor. Presently serving is Reverend Mr. John McCray who has been pastor since April 2003.

Through out the years the church has been blessed by the services of additional staff. Santiago Reales serves as Hispanic pastor, Paul Braxton as youth director, Tammy Killon as church secretary, Tammy Marion as pianist, Jeanette Black as organist, Josh Howard as interim music director, Elsie Braxton as custodian, and Lorraine Brooks as finance officer.

## **History of First Baptist Church of Sparta**

The ministry of Christ is portrayed in many areas at the First Baptist Church. The church serves through the Solid Rock Ministries Food Closet, the Solid Rock Building Ministry, the Hispanic Mission, the Singing Christmas Tree, Awana Program and G Force for children, Vacation Bible School, Solid Rock Youth, Operation Christmas Child, and providing disaster relief for both in and out-of-state victims.

Weekly services at First Baptist Church of Sparta include Sunday School, Morning Worship and G Force on Sunday mornings, with Hispanic Services, Youth, and Evening Worship on Sunday evenings. Prayer and Bible Study is held on Wednesday evenings.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary P. Rector  
Historian

## EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

I want to begin by saying that it has truly been a privilege and blessing for me to have been your moderator for this past year. Never did I think when I came to Bellview as their pastor that I would be the Association's moderator, and I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your prayers and support.

I want to thank each Executive Committee member, each pastor, each church, and all those who make up the various committees of the Association for your prayers, your dedication and your faithfulness in carrying out the business of the Association. The Executive Committee has met for four regularly scheduled meetings and each meeting has been well attended. The fellowship and cooperation from each church has been outstanding in all decisions that have been made. The churches that make up our Association may be small in number, but "little is much when God is in it" and you will see from the reports of the churches and committees just how truly blessed our churches have been in all their endeavors.

It is my prayer that we will earnestly seek God's leadership and direction for our Association and be submissive in carrying out the tasks before us in missions ministry and winning lost souls to Christ.

Respectfully submitted,  
Larry T. Powers, Moderator

### **Associational Revival 2006**

|         |                                  |
|---------|----------------------------------|
| Sunday  | October 15                       |
|         | Location - Laurel Springs        |
|         | Special Music - Osborne Memorial |
|         | Preacher - Rev. Everette Shaw    |
| Monday  | October 16                       |
|         | Location - Bellview              |
|         | Special Music - Sparta First     |
|         | Preacher - Rev. Allen Huffman    |
| Tuesday | October 17                       |
|         | Location - Liberty               |
|         | Special Music - Mount Carmel     |
|         | Preacher - Rev. John McCray      |

## ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH REPORT 2005-2006

We held a number of associational youth planning meetings.

The Alleghany Baptist Associational Youth participated in the following events:

- |               |                                                                                                                                                        |
|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| October 2005  | Associational Youth Night and Pizza<br>(Sunday night of the Associational Revival)                                                                     |
| December 2005 | New Testaments were given away and churches decorated treat bags that were filled and distributed at the Christmas give-away held by Cora's Charities. |
| March 2006    | Bowling and Pizza Party                                                                                                                                |
| April 2006    | Cookout and Missions Service at Bellview                                                                                                               |
| May 2006      | Provided shoes for 28 students at Piney Creek School                                                                                                   |
| July 2006     | Baptist Children's Home Picnic at Thomasville                                                                                                          |
| August 2006   | Cookout at Cumberland Knob on the parkway                                                                                                              |

**AUDITOR'S REPORT  
2005 - 2006**

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

I have examined the financial records of the Alleghany Baptist Association for that portion of the 2005-2006 fiscal year being September 1, 2005 through June 26, 2006 and find them to be accurate and in order.

Judith F. Sands, Auditor  
August 17, 2006

**BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
2005-2006**

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for His many blessings this past year. The church continues to be a loving and close knit group of believers who enjoy serving God and others.

Pastor Larry Powers initiated a community visitation program and the church ordered mugs and pens with the church name inscribed as gifts to those visited.

Improvements to the church building include new outside doors, new doors leading into the sanctuary, and a security light in the parking lot. Also, a large multi-purpose building located directly behind the church was completed just in time to be used for Vacation Bible School.



Missions activities including “Share-A-Meal” (preparation and delivery of meals to sick or shut-in members of the community); Christmas for needy families; Cora’s Charities; Rock of Ages Prison Ministry; Annie Armstrong; The Cooperative Program; Lottie Moon; North Carolina Missions; Baptist Children’s Home; Baptist Hospital; and the local 4-H Club continue. Special local, national and international needs are addressed as they arise.

Established traditions such as a secret pal; Mothers and Fathers Day luncheons; Christmas caroling and distribution of fruit baskets; a Christmas play presented by the youth; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; church picnics at the river; and Old Fashion Day continue to be enjoyed by the congregation.

This report began with gratitude to the Lord for His many blessings and should rightfully end with gratitude – for, without Him, we can do nothing. We ask all who read this to please pray for our church – that we may be good stewards of God’s bounty, honor Him in ALL we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

## DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS

When you attend some Baptist meetings, you receive a bag. The items in this bag are symbols of this past year.

A volleyball brings to mind associational youth events and Vacation Bible Schools.

A child at the Baptist Children's Homes painted "Thank You" on this tile. It helps me remember the cookout at Mills Home in Thomasville.

This Bible story cloth from the International Mission Board helps to remind me of our missionaries in Africa.

This soccer ball reminds me of the Southern Baptist Convention meeting held in Greensboro. The ball is a tool that some missionaries are using to witness in their countries.

The shoes represent the associational youth project to provide good shoes to needy children.

This children's book represents a North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union project. They sent books to Gulfport, Mississippi schools to replace those damaged by the hurricane.

This Spanish New Testament from our Christmas give-away reminds me of Hispanic folks here and in Honduras that need to hear about Jesus.

The remaining items remind me of a memorable week. A piece of wood, a map, and a thank you note bring to mind the Baptist Men group's work in Gulfport, Mississippi. I felt very close to God on that trip.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Ross Wagner

## FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT 2006-2007

| Item         | 2005-2006<br>Budget | 2005-2006<br>Disbursements | 2006-2007<br>Budget |
|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Salary       | 6000.00             | 6000.00                    | 6000.00             |
| Social       | 459.00              | 459.00                     | 459.00              |
| Security     |                     |                            |                     |
| Travel       | 200.00              | 200.00                     | 320.00              |
| + 120        |                     |                            |                     |
| Telephone    | 350.00              | 347.77                     | 350.00              |
| Evangelism   | 200.00              | 0                          | 200.00              |
| & Church     |                     |                            |                     |
| Training     |                     |                            |                     |
| Youth        | 800.00              | 892.45                     | 950.00              |
| + 150        |                     |                            |                     |
| WMU          | 100.00              | 0                          | 0                   |
| - 100        |                     |                            |                     |
| Printing     | 400.00              | 214.86                     | 400.00              |
| Minutes      |                     |                            |                     |
| Missions     | 600.00              | 491.85                     | 400.00              |
| - 200        |                     |                            |                     |
| Hispanic     | 1000.00             | 1000.00                    | 1200.00             |
| Missions     |                     |                            |                     |
| + 200        |                     |                            |                     |
| Expense      | <u>440.00</u>       | <u>411.19</u>              | <u>440.00</u>       |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>10,549.00</b>    | <b>10,017.12</b>           | <b>10,719.00</b>    |
| + 170        |                     |                            |                     |

## **First Baptist Church, Sparta Year 2005 – 2006 Highlights**

Mr. John Black served as interim music director until hired on as director, but has resigned as of August 27, 2006. A missions team was sent to Gulfport, Mississippi. Our youth went on a mission trip to Brunswick, Georgia. We had Team Impact in April with 170 decisions. We have baptized 16 since September 2005 to September 2006. A mission team went to Grifton, North Carolina. Guest musicians were Myrrh and This Hope. We began two children's programs. G-Force is a children's worship, and Awana is held on Sunday afternoon and is open to all churches to participate.

We also participated in the Mountain Heritage Festival and hosted the Singing Christmas Tree. Our youth also attended Winterfest at Liberty University. Our ladies attended the Beth Moore Conference in Raleigh, N.C.

## **First Baptist, Sparta Mission and WMU Report**

Contributions were to two Peace Corp workers from this church. Melanie Black, serving in Nomimba, Africa, and Lauren Edwards in Panama. Contributions were made to the

Pregnancy Program. Distributed and encouraged use of the Prayer Walk brochures. Two members attended LifeWay Conventions, and study programs.

The Nina Crouse WMU Study Group meet each month for mission study and to plan their outreach programs.

The WMU adopts a needy child and contributes toward that child's needs for a year or more with clothing, school supplies, ice cream at school, and always a Christmas box.

Teddy bears were collected for the Highway Patrol to be used in a crisis situation.

Small personal items were collected and given to the DANA program.

Boxes of stamped birthday cards were sent to the N. C. Women's Central Prison in Raleigh for inmates to remember their loved ones. Residents of Sunbridge Nursing Home were remembered on their birthdays. Magazines with colorful pictures were taken to the nursing home.

Various items were given to the local Adapt Center to be used as bingo gifts for Group Home residents.

Missionary Kids living in the U. S. were sent birthday cards and inspirational notes.



The WMU having been blessed with a love gift a few years ago that as enabled them to support the N. C. WMU Foundation, World Hunger, the N. C. Baptist Children's Home, Lottie Moon and Annie Armstrong offerings.

Billie Dimette, one of our devoutly mission minded members went home to be with the Lord this year. We miss her.

As we follow our WMU Watchword, Luke 9:23, our motto is to: "Think Beyond Your Doorstep."

**Laurel Springs Baptist Church  
2005/2006 Year In Review: God Is Nowhere  
Absent And Everywhere Present**

We had a wonderfully blessed year. Our faith is strengthened and renewed by weekly prayer meeting and Bible study.

The younger children recently blessed us by presenting a skit on the widow's oil. Sytan Kilby portrayed Elisha. The widow and her neighbor were portrayed by Hanna and Haley Hall.

We were blessed by the attendance and participation of the first "All Day" Saturday VBS. Our church family was dedicated and committed to this effort of love. During the invitation several children raised their hands to know more about being saved. Please pray the seed was planted.

Homecoming was well attended this year as were our 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday night singings.

We had our missionaries from the Philippines recently and local missions in our area. The Lord blessed our giving this year to be able to increase giving to our foreign and home missions.

WMU continues to be a blessing in the community and in our church family. Revival was conducted by Tim Debord of Uplands Reach.

Beautification involved the addition of a white split rail vinyl fence.

Membership increased by 2.

Bessie Walldridge (our "flower lady") passed away July 10<sup>th</sup>. Bessie placed live flowers in the sanctuary and in the fellowship room for every special occasion. Because of a blood disorder that weakened her immune system, she couldn't attend many of the occasions and would come by while the church was empty to carefully place the flowers. Some she grew. Many times she purchased the prettiest she could find. Roses were one of her favorites. Her funeral spray was filled with a beautiful variety of flowers, a very special tribute to our "flower lady."

Two special dedication services were held through the year. Jim Pendergraph was ordained a deacon. Twins Dalton and Olivia Blevins were

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

### BELL VIEW

None

### LAUREL SPRINGS

None

### LIBERTY

Walton Joines  
Colonel Holbrook  
Mary Joines

### MOUNT CARMEL

Nancy Dillon  
Charlie Crouse  
Rhumell McKnight

### OSBORNE MEMORIAL

None

### SPARTA FIRST

Grace Hayes  
Billy Johnson  
Edsel Andrews  
George Mac Irwin  
Billie Dimmette  
Gene Irwin



**Gene Irwin**  
**Sparta First**



**Walton Joines**  
**Liberty**



**Charlie Crouse**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Mary Joines**  
**Liberty**



**Nancy Dillon**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Billie Dimmette**  
**Sparta First**



**Edsel Andrews**  
**Sparta First**



**Colonel Holbrook**  
**Liberty**



**George Mac Irwin**  
**Sparta First**



**Grace Hayes**  
**Sparta First**





dedicated to the Lord. The parents are Kenny and Amanda Blevins.

The Christmas meal, play, and treat bags were enjoyed by everyone. Our pastor and deacons are faithful and encourage one another.

We are blessed to have this wonderful church family.

### **Laurel Springs Baptist WMU**

The Laurel Springs WMU meets monthly for mission study, fellowship, and planning for projects that will glorify Our Lord.

A few of these projects include: Lottie Moon, Mother's Day Baptist Hospital, and Annie Armstrong offerings; special personal offerings to our four church-supported foreign missionary families; several home missionaries; food and supplies for families in need, supplies for Solid Rock Food Bank in Alleghany, food and meals for the families in time of death.

Last year our small group provided Christmas for 15 Angel Tree children, plus other children. We also do refreshments for Bible School and our monthly summer gospel singings.

A very special project was buying books for a Gulfport school library. We are so very grateful for the privilege to serve the Lord in the community, statewide, and foreign countries and to

thank all the ladies of the church who are always willing to help even if they can't attend the meetings.

A special thank you to our summer Florida friends, Barbara Carstens and Norma Jean Cosby who add so much to our church programs when they are "in the mountains."

Our goal is to grow in the Lord and promote missions around the world.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma R. Foster, Director

### **Liberty Baptist Church Highlights**

Liberty Baptist Church had a year with a lot of uplifting activities. Three of the youth were baptized into the membership of the church.

The church participated in several associational youth activities including the trip to the Baptist Children's Home, the bowling outing, the missions service at Bellview, the cookout at Cumberland Knob, and the youth night during the associational revival.

Easter was observed with a sunrise service and breakfast. Vacation Bible School was especially good with extra participation and activities.

Special offerings were given to Baptist Hospital, Baptist Children's Homes, Annie Armstrong, and Lottie Moon. The church participates in the Alleghany Baptist Association Youth shoe project. One member went to Gulfport, Mississippi with the group from First Baptist Church of Sparta to do disaster recovery work.

Jill Starling and her husband reported on their mission trip to Nicaragua which was supported by the church.

### **MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH**

1410 Cherry Lane Rd  
Glade Valley, NC 28627  
2005-2006

#### Mt Carmel Church:

- Association delegates and church members attended the Annual Association meeting September 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> at Liberty. Choir members sang at the Friday night meeting.
- Tim Debord & wife Deana gave an inspiring message at Worship Service on September 11<sup>th</sup> about their mission work and children's camp near Miller's Creek in Wilkes County. A love offering was given to them to support their work. Brother Anon Cole also participated in the Worship Service with a moving testimony which spread throughout the church.
- The Association Revival was held at Mt Carmel on October 20<sup>th</sup> with the church choir singing. O

- Mt Carmel Revivals were held November 4-7 and May 21-24 with Preacher Joe Atkins delivering the message.
- The church rejoiced in the profession by Brandon Wagoner on April 23<sup>rd</sup> at Worship Service. Baptism followed on Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup> and he was given the right hand of fellowship at revival service that night. Brandon is the son of Michelle Wagoner and grandson of Dorothy Crouse.
- Adult Bible study, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, continues with the study of Revelations and the introduction of the movies series Beyond Iraq by John Hagee and the Left Behind video.
- Communion and Foot Washing service was held at 7 PM on August 6<sup>th</sup>.
- The church continues to collect paper products, laundry soap and cleaning supplies for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville. Three large truck loads of products were delivered to the home. Church members are regularly seen carrying these products to church as they generously support this ministry.
- Mrs. Doug Dillon (Nancy), sister of Joyce Shaw & Ruth Ellen Wood, testified to her great faith and love of Jesus the last time she attended Worship Service on September 18<sup>th</sup> prior to her death.
- With sorrow we remember the dear members that have passed into the arms of Jesus this year; Charlie Crouse, Rhumell McKnight, and Nancy Dillon. The church members also shared the sorrow of Jimmie & Patsy Gillespie and Dick & Carol McKnight in the passing of Patsy & Dick's brother, Joe McKnight.

### Fellowship Events:

- Mt Carmel enjoys a monthly Worship Service with singing. The groups this year were In His Name, Faith Trio, Joyful Sounds, Gospel Sounds, Southern Praise, and Herb Thomas & Beacons.
- Pastor Appreciation for Pastor Everette Shaw with a fellowship dinner and birthday cake was held on February 26<sup>th</sup>. The church honors Everette for his 54 years as pastor.

### Holiday Events:

- Thanksgiving Fellowship dinner was held on November 27<sup>th</sup>.
- The church participated in the Franklin Graham Operation Shoebox event and sent 36 boxes to the Boone collection site.
- The Youth performed the Christmas play, We Three Kings by Robert A Allen on December 11<sup>th</sup>. Candy, apples and special gifts were enjoyed by the children.
- The New Years Eve tradition of "Singin' Out the Old & In the New" was held Dec 31<sup>st</sup>. Singers were In His Name, Morning of Glory Singers, Jay Shaw, Betty & Marvin Shaw. Snacks were provided in the Fellowship Hall.
- Easter Sunrise service was held on April 16<sup>th</sup> with a fellowship breakfast following the service. Over 45 people attended the service and breakfast. Over 100 Easter Eggs where hidden for the children to hunt. Candy, prizes and special gifts were provided for all the children.
- On Mother's Day & Father's Day the oldest & youngest mother and father were given cards with

gift checks from the church. The Youth read poems and gave out special keepsake gifts to all mothers and fathers.

Vacation Bible School:

- Sandy Gregory, Development Director from the Baptist Children's Home joined us on Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup> for a lesson from the Children's Home VBS program, "Going the Extra Mile." He shared many stories from the children at the home. He also introduced the "Mile and Penny" program where Mt Carmel has agreed to collect one mile of pennies this year for the Children's Home. On Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Youth and church members traveled to Abingdon, VA to the Barter Theatre and saw "The Lion, Witch and the Wardrobe" the popular play by C. S Lewis now known as "Narnia."

**Mt. Carmel WMU**

1410 Cherry Lane Rd  
Glade Valley, NC 28627

**2005-2006**

The Lord has richly blessed us this year. The WMU has assisted many families monetarily over the past year. We have helped these families with medical expenses, cancer treatments, and expenses to and from the hospital, and back to school expenses. Many cards and notes have been sent to the sick and bereaved. In July we made a commitment to make a monthly donation to the Solid Rock Food Closet.

Over the past year we have bought large garbage cans for four different couples who were getting married. The WMU along with the church have filled



them with paper products as well as other kitchen products. We have also given baby gifts to all our new babies who were born into the church family.

We participated in the Mtn. Heritage Festival in September with the sale of many canned goods, baked items, and crafts. We also gave away a handmade, crocheted Christmas tree skirt. In November, we prepared 26 shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse in Boone. In December, we purchased and wrapped gifts for all the children who attended the Christmas Play. Extra gifts were given to needy children in the county.

The WMU hosted several meals during the year. These included a Thanksgiving meal, Easter Sunrise service, Pastor Appreciation/Birthday lunch, and many Fifth Sunday lunches. Mothers were remembered in May at Worship Service, and the Fathers were remembered in June for their special day with gifts.

Meat/cheese trays, bread, and drinks were taken to deceased church members homes during the year.

Several members of the WMU enjoyed a day of shopping and fellowship at Blowing Rock in April. A Beth Moore Bible Study is planned for the fall for the ladies.

Nine ladies met on July 26 to make 41 quarts of kraut for the festival in September. Many have been working at home canning pickled beets, green beans, tomatoes, and chow chow for the festival.

Elections were held in July for the next year:

Ruth Ellen Wood--President

Lisa Miles--Vice-President

Brenda Blevins-Secretary

Freida Cockerham-Treasurer

## **Osborne Memorial Baptist Church Review of 2005-2006**

We want to give God thanks for the many wonderful blessings He has bestowed upon our church during the past year.

Because of His blessings we were able to send \$ 1,000 to the NC Baptist Men for Katrina victims in September. Later we donated another \$ 340 to the victims.

Due to the mother's death of one of our community's students, our church collected special offerings to set up a college fund for the student. A total of \$ 2,365 has been gifted to him during the past year.

After a windstorm destroyed part of our church's roof, it was replaced with a new metal roof. Other improvements include new carpet, new upholstery for seats, a new sound system, and new doors inside the church. We thank God for blessing us financially as well as spiritually.

Through much prayer and God's divine guidance, our church selected Rev. Allan Huffman as our pastor in December. He and his wife, Ann, have been one of our greatest blessings this year.

Coins the children collect each Sunday were sent to the Navajo Reservation in New Mexico, the Baptist Children's Home, and Ebenezer Children's Home for Christmas. Each one received \$600. We also provided Christmas gifts for 5 local children. Some of our members took a poinsettia to shut-ins. We enjoyed a fellowship supper on December 20.

It is only through God's blessings that we are able to help others in need. Our church paid the electric bill for two families. We donated shoes for needy children and sent an extra \$ 100 to the Association for the shoe project.

During April we were blessed to hear a Gideon speaker and donated Gideon Bibles through a special offering. We had an Easter Sunrise Service followed by a breakfast at the Pines Restaurant.

We celebrated Mother's Day by giving a rose bush to the youngest and the oldest mother and by presenting a single rose to each mother present.

A donation of \$ 250 was sent to the American Cancer Society.

Our church held a revival the first week of June with Rev. Billy Joe Blevins bringing the message and with special singing each night.

Father's Day was celebrated with a knife set being given to the youngest and the oldest father. Each father received a bookmarker and a card.

In July we enjoyed a cookout at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville with 12 of our members attending. Drinks, school supplies, and cameras were donated to the children.

The first Sunday in each month we sing and visit with residents at SunBridge Care and Rehabilitation Center.

Our church participated in the cookout at Cumberland Knob for the associational youth.

On the last Sunday in August we celebrated Homecoming. We had decoration with a fellowship meal afterwards.

Our church has been blessed to receive 9 new members, 2 through baptism and 7 by letter.

We give God the honor and praise for each one of these blessings.

Treasurer's Report  
09/01/05 – 08/31/06

BALANCE AS OF 09/01/05                      \$ 1,459.21

**RECEIPTS**

|          |                                  |               |
|----------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 08/15/05 | Osborne Memorial                 | 200.00        |
| 09/02/05 | Baptist State Convention         | 75.00         |
| 09/04/05 | Bellview                         | 229.25        |
| 09/20/05 | Skyline Capital Credit           | 29.98         |
| 10/02/05 | Bellview                         | 270.49        |
| 10/03/05 | Baptist State Convention         | 75.00         |
| 10/13/05 | Osborne Memorial                 | 200.00        |
| 10/21/05 | Mount Carmel                     | 150.00        |
| 10/31/05 | Laurel Springs                   | 300.00        |
| 10/28/05 | Sparta First                     | 200.00        |
| 11/01/05 | Bellview                         | 318.32        |
| 11/02/05 | Baptist State Convention         | 75.00         |
| 11/17/05 | Sparta First                     | <u>100.00</u> |
| 12/01/05 | Bellview                         | 343.57        |
| 12/01/05 | Sparta First                     | 100.00        |
| 12/02/05 | Baptist State Convention         | 75.00         |
| 12/05/05 | Osborne Memorial                 | 200.00        |
| 01/01/06 | Bellview                         | 448.42        |
| 01/11/06 | Baptist State Convention         | 41.91         |
|          | (8 % of State Missions Offering) |               |
| 01/20/06 | Sparta First                     | 100.00        |
| 02/01/06 | Bellview                         | <u>406.25</u> |

|          |                             |               |
|----------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 02/16/06 | Sparta First                | 100.00        |
| 03/01/06 | Bellview                    | 310.22        |
| 03/08/06 | Osborne Memorial            | 200.00        |
| 03/27/06 | Sparta First                | 100.00        |
| 04/01/06 | Bellview                    | 421.61        |
| 04/14/06 | Sparta First                | 100.00        |
| 04/24/06 | Mount Carmel                | 150.00        |
| 05/02/06 | Bellview                    | 375.68        |
| 05/08/06 | Laurel Springs              | 600.00        |
| 05/09/06 | Sparta First                | <u>100.00</u> |
| 05/15/06 | Liberty                     | 1200.00       |
| 05/24/06 | Osborne Memorial<br>(Shoes) | 100.00        |
| 06/11/06 | Bellview                    | 242.33        |
| 06/18/06 | Sparta First                | 100.00        |
| 06/26/06 | Osborne Memorial            | 200.00        |
| 07/02/06 | Bellview                    | 284.37        |
| 07/02/06 | Laurel Springs              | 600.00        |
| 07/12/06 | Sparta First `              | 100.00        |
| 07/20/06 | Osborne Memorial            | 200.00        |
| 07/25/06 | Mount Carmel                | 150.00        |
| 08/01/06 | Bellview                    | 337.61        |
| 08/03/06 | Sparta First                | 100.00        |
| 08/27/06 | Mount Carmel                | <u>150.00</u> |

**TOTAL RECEIPTS**
**\$ 10,160.02**



## DISBURSEMENTS

|           |                                        |               |
|-----------|----------------------------------------|---------------|
| 09/19/05  | #1156 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 20.00         |
| 09/19/05  | #1157 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 441.75        |
| 09/12/05  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | 28.54         |
| 10/16/05  | #1158 <b>Pizza Hut (Youth Revival)</b> | 162.64        |
| 10/12/05  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | 31.29         |
| 10/19/05  | #1159 T.R. Wagner (Office)             | 109.30        |
| 10/19/05  | #1160 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 461.75        |
| 10/21/05  | #1161 IRS (3rd Quarter)                | 229.50        |
| 11/16/05  | #1162 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 461.75        |
| 11/11/05  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | <u>28.20</u>  |
| 12/20/05  | #1163 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 461.75        |
| 12/12/05  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | 29.81         |
| 12/20/05  | #1164 T.R. Wagner (Missions)           | 116.85        |
|           | (Reimbursement for Treat Bags)         |               |
| 01/02/06  | #1165 Blanche Pugh (Missions)          |               |
|           | (Todd Partial Rent Payment)            | 100.00        |
| 01/18/06  | #1166 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 461.75        |
| 01/20/06  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | 29.02         |
| 01/20/06  | #1167 IRS (4th Quarter)                | 229.50        |
| 02/04/06  | #1168 T.R. Wagner (Mileage)            | 60.00         |
| 02/15/06  | #1169 T.R. Wagner (Salary)             | 461.75        |
| 02/13/06  | Automatic Deduction-Skyline            | 28.92         |
| 02/15/06  | #1170 <b>Postmaster (P O Box Rent)</b> | 38.00         |
| 02/15/ 06 | #1171 USDA – RD (Missions)             | <u>100.00</u> |
|           | (Larue Part of a House Payment)        |               |

|          |                                                                      |               |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 02/21/06 | #1172 Sparta First (Hispanic)                                        | 222.00        |
| 03/13/05 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                                          | 29.02         |
| 03/15/06 | #1173 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                                           | 461.75        |
|          | #1174 Void                                                           |               |
| 03/15/06 | #1175 Sparta First (Hispanic)                                        | 111.00        |
| 03/19/06 | #1176 Trojan Bowl (Youth)                                            | 265.67        |
| 03/19/06 | #1177 Cora's Charities Rent<br>(Missions)                            | 100.00        |
| 04/12/06 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                                          | 28.25         |
| 04/17/06 | #1178 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                                           | 461.75        |
| 04/17/06 | #1179 Sparta First (Hispanic)                                        | 111.00        |
| 04/17/06 | #1180 First Community Bank<br>(Safety Deposit Box Rent)              | 45.00         |
| 05/12/06 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                                          | 29.04         |
| 05/15/06 | #1181 T.R. Wagner (Salary)                                           | 461.75        |
| 05/15/06 | #1182 Sparta First (Hispanic)                                        | 111.00        |
| 05/15/06 | #1183 IRS (1st Quarter)                                              | <u>229.50</u> |
| 05/15/06 | #1184 Bellview<br>(Youth Cook-Out)                                   | 42.54         |
| 05/20/06 | #1186 T. R. Wagner<br>(Shoes 100.00, Travel 42.00,<br>Postage 23.40) | 165.40        |
| 06/09/06 | #1187 Reliable (Office)                                              | 82.24         |
| 06/13/06 | Automatic Deduction-Skyline                                          | 28.71         |
| 06/14/06 | #1188 Highland Village<br>Rent Deposit (Missions)                    | 40.00         |

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|------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| 06/19/06               | #1189 T.R. Wagner (Travel)    | 60.00         |
| 06/16/06               | #1190 T.R. Wagner (Salary)    | 461.75        |
| 06/29/06               | #1191 Sparta First (Hispanic) | 111.00        |
| 06/ /06                | #1192 Dot Brooks (Missions)   | 35.00         |
|                        | (Reimburse for Sparta Exxon)  |               |
| 07/01/06               | #1193 IRS (2nd Quarter)       | 229.50        |
| 07/02/06               | #1194 Dollar Tree             | 19.00         |
|                        | (Youth – BCH)                 |               |
| 07/12/06               | #1195 WalMart                 | 249.60        |
|                        | (Youth – BCH)                 |               |
| 07/12/06               | Automatic Deduction-Skyline   | 28.62         |
| 07/19/06               | #1196 T.R. Wagner (Salary)    | 461.75        |
| 07/15/06               | #1197 Sparta First (Hispanic) | 111.00        |
| 08/01/06               | #1198 Void                    |               |
| 08/11/06               | Automatic Deduction-Skyline   | 28.35         |
| 08/17/06               | #1199 T.R. Wagner (Salary)    | 461.75        |
| 08/17/06               | #1200 Sparta First (Hispanic) | 111.00        |
| 08/17/06               | #1201 Reliable (Office)       | 113.25        |
| 08/17/06               | #1202 T.R. Wagner (Mileage)   | 38.00         |
| 08/22/06               | #1203 T & K Food Service      | 153.00        |
|                        | (Youth - Cookout)             |               |
|                        | #1204 Void                    |               |
| 08/31/06               | #1205 Copy Express(Minutes)   | 214.86        |
| 08/31/06               | #1206 Sparta First (Hispanic) | <u>112.00</u> |
| TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS    |                               | \$10,117.12   |
| BALANCE AS OF 08/31/06 |                               | \$ 1,502.11   |

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

| TIME                 | I Church           | I MODERATOR I CLERK | I PREACHER I Chmn.Ex. Comm      |
|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. 1886, Sep. 24-25  | I Buffalo          | I T.M. Honeycutt    | I G.W. Greene I James Eller     |
| 2. 1887, Sep. 22-24  | I New Hope         | I T.M. Honeycutt    | I S.M. Collins I James Eller    |
| 3. 1888, Sep. 6-8    | I Apple Grove      | I T.M. Honeycutt    | I T.M. Honeycutt I James Eller  |
| 4. 1889, Sep. 12-14  | I Landmark         | I W.C. Fields       | I T.M. Duncan I James Eller     |
| 5. 1890, Sep. 18-20  | I Jefferson        | I W.C. Fields       | I J.F. Fletcher I James Eller   |
| 6. 1891, Sep. 17-19  | I Sparta           | I W.C. Fields       | I F.B. Cheek I James Eller      |
| 7. 1892, Sep. 15-17  | I Bethel           | I W.C. Fields       | I D.J. Harris I James Eller     |
| 8. 1893, Sep. 14-16  | I Apple Grove      | I T.M. Duncan       | I W.H. Glenn I James Eller      |
| 9. 1894, Sep. 13-15  | I Healing Springs  | I W.C. Fields       | I E. Tucker I James Eller       |
| 10. 1895, Oct. 3-5   | I Liberty          | I J.H. Doughton     | I T.M. Duncan I James Eller     |
| 11. 1896, Oct. 1-3   | I Brushy Fork      | I J.H. Doughton     | I E. Blevins I J.H. Doughton    |
| 12. 1897, Sep. 28-30 | I Forest Home      | I J.H. Doughton     | I E.F. Tatum I H.A. Eller       |
| 1. 1897, Nov. 5      | I Sparta           | I J.H. Doughton     | I E. Tucker I J.H. Doughton     |
| 2. 1898, Oct. 7-9    | I Brush Crk. (Va.) | I L.D. Vaughan      | I F.B. Cheek I T.R. Windsor     |
| 3. 1899, Sep. 7-9    | I Laurel Springs   | I L.D. Vaughan      | I R.K. Johnson I R.L. Doughton  |
| 4. 1900, Sep. 6-8    | I New Hope         | I W.C. Fields       | I James Shumate I R.L. Doughton |
| 5. 1901, Sep. 5-7    | I Pine Fork        | I W.C. Fields       | I C.M. Rock I R.L. Doughton     |
| 6. 1902, Sep. 11-13  | I Sparta           | I L.D. Vaughan      | I L.D. Vaughan I R.L. Doughton  |
| 7. 1903, Sep. 10-12  | I Liberty          | I J.H. Doughton     | I J.W. Burchett I R.L. Doughton |
| 8. 1904, Sep. 8-10   | I Brush Crk. (Va.) | I E. Blevins        | I F.B. Cheek I J.F. Cheek       |

|                      |                     |                 |                  |                  |                 |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 9. 1905, Sep. 7-9    | I Laurel Springs    | I E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I L.M. Holloway  | I W.C. Fields   |
| 10. 1906, Sep. 7-9   | I New Hope          | I E. Blevins    | I J.F. Cheek     | I E. Blevins     | I R.L. Doughton |
| 11. 1907, Sep. 6-8   | I Pine Fork         | I E. Blevins    | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 12. 1908, Sep. 10-12 | I Pleasant G. (Va.) | I J.F. Fletcher | I H.C. Edwards   | I J.F. Fletcher  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 13. 1909, Sep. 10-12 | I Liberty           | I R.L. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I R.L. Doughton |
| 14. 1910, Sep. 9-11  | I Laurel Springs    | I W.L. Hoppers  | I H.C. Edwards   | I W.L. Hoppers   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 15. 1911, Sep. 8-10  | I New Hope          | I W.F. Doughton | I H.C. Edwards   | I D.S. Hubble    | I R.L. Doughton |
| 16. 1912, Sep. 6-8   | I Bellview          | I B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 17. 1913, Sep. 12-14 | I Chestnut Grove    | I B.E. Reeves   | I H.C. Edwards   | I Geo. M. Reeves | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 18. 1914, Sep. 11-13 | I Pine Fork         | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I Jno. E. Ray    | I W.F. Doughton |
| 19. 1915, Sep. 10-12 | I Liberty           | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I L.B. Murray    | I B.E. Reeves   |
| 20. 1916, Sep. 8-10  | I Mt. Carmel        | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I C.M. Cope      | I G.T. Caudill  |
| 21. 1917, Sep. 7-9   | I Laurel Springs    | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I G.M. Reeves    | I W.F. Doughton |
| 22. 1918, Sep. 6-8   | I New Hope          | I B.E. Reeves   | I W.F. Jones     | I S.L. Blevins   | I R.L. Doughton |
| 23. 1919, Sep. 12-13 | I Bellview          | I B.E. Reeves   | I J.F. Roberts   | I W.A. Hash      | I R.L. Doughton |
| 24. 1920, Sep. 10-12 | I Chestnut Ridge    | I S.L. Blevins  | I W.F. Jones     | I Coy Blackburn  | I R.L. Doughton |
| 25. 1921, Sep. 9-11  | I Pine Fork         | I John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I W.L. Hoppers   | I John M. Cheek |
| 26. 1922, Sep. 8-10  | I Liberty           | I John M. Cheek | I W.F. Jones     | I C.E. Maddry    | I John M. Cheek |
| 27. 1923, Sep. 7-9   | I Mt. Carmel        | I John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I A. Lamonds     | I John M. Cheek |
| 28. 1924, Sep. 12-14 | I Sparta            | I John M. Cheek | I K.M. Estep     | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 29. 1925, Sep. 11-13 | I Laurel Springs    | I John M. Cheek | I N.C. Teague    | I H.L. Coffey    | I John M. Cheek |
| 30. 1926, Sep. 10-12 | I New Hope          | I John M. Cheek | I W.B. Reeves    | I N.C. Teague    | I John M. Cheek |
| 31. 1927, Sep. 9-11  | I Bellview          | I W. Franklin   | I W.F. Jones     | I W. Franklin    | I J.T. Fender   |
| 32. 1928, Sep. 7-9   | I Liberty           | I W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I J.M. Page      | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 33. 1929, Sep. 6-8   | I Mt. Carmel        | I W.F. Doughton | I W.F. Jones     | I A. Hayes       | I R.A. Wagoner  |
| 34. 1930, Sep. 12-14 | I Sparta            | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I E. Whisenhunt  | I R. A. Wagoner |
| 35. 1931, Sep. 11-13 | I Laurel Springs    | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I J.L. Underwood | I M.E. Reeves   |
| 36. 1932, Sep. 9-11  | I New Hope          | I W.F. Doughton | I J.L. Underwood | I T.M. Hayes     | I M.E. Reeves   |



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| TIME                 | Church           | MODERATOR     | CLERK           | PREACHER         | Chmn.Ex. Comm. |
|----------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|
| 37. 1933, Sep. 8-10  | Belview          | W.F. Doughton | J.T. Fender     | C.H. McKnight    | John M. Cheek  |
| 38. 1934, Sep. 7-9   | Liberty          | J.K. Blum     | J.T. Fender     | G.A. Martin      | T.R. Burgess   |
| 39. 1935, Sep. 6-8   | Mt. Carmel       | J.K. Blum     | J.T. Fender     | S.L. Blevins     | F.W. Royal     |
| 40. 1936, Sep. 12-14 | Scottville       | F.W. Royall   | J.T. Fender     | S.L. Naff        | A.O. Joines    |
| 41. 1937, Sep. 10-12 | Pine Fork        | F.W. Royall   | J.T. Fender     | C.H. McKnight    | A.O. Joines    |
| 42. 1938, Sep. 9-11  | Sparta           | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | H.J. Ford        | John M. Cheek  |
| 43. 1939, Sep. 8-10  | Chestnut Grove   | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | J.M. Hayes       | John M. Cheek  |
| 44. 1940, Sep. 6-8   | Laurel Springs   | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | S.L. Blevins     | John M. Cheek  |
| 45. 1941, Sep. 12-14 | New Hope         | A.O. Joines   | Van Miller      | A.C. Ashley      | John M. Cheek  |
| 46. 1942, Sep. 12-13 | Belview          | F.W. Royall   | Van Miller      | N.M. Greene      | W.F. Doughton  |
| 47. 1943, Sep. 11-12 | Sparta           | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | W.T. Whittington | W.F. Doughton  |
| 48. 1944, Sep. 9-10  | Mt. Carmel       | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | R.H. Satterfield | W.F. Doughton  |
| 49. 1945, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | E.B. Barton      | W.F. Doughton  |
| 50. 1946, Sep. 7-8   | Osborne Memorial | John M. Cheek | Van Miller      | W.H. Caldwell    | W.F. Doughton  |
| 51. 1947, Sep. 13-14 | Scottville       | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | C Gwaltney       | W.F. Doughton  |
| 52. 1948, Sep. 11-12 | Pine Fork        | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | S.L. Blevins     | W.F. Doughton  |
| 53. 1949, Sep. 10-11 | Laurel Springs   | Dr. N.D. Fox  | W.P. Johnson    | J.G. Goodman     | W.F. Doughton  |
| 54. 1950, Sep. 9-10  | New River        | Van F. Miller | W.K. Sprinkle   | F.G. Walker      | W.F. Doughton  |
| 55. 1951, Sep. 8-9   | New Hope         | Van F. Miller | J.B. Reed       | Fred Blevins     | Van F. Miller  |
| 56. 1952, Sep. 13-14 | Chestnut Grove   | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | E.V. Bumgarner   | W.F. Doughton  |
| 57. 1953, Sep. 12-13 | Belview          | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | H.J. Ford        | W.F. Doughton  |
| 58. 1954, Sep. 11-12 | Sparta           | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | C.H. McKnight    | A.O. Joines    |
| 59. 1955, Sep. 10-11 | Mt. Carmel       | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | R.R. Campbell    | A.O. Joines    |
| 60. 1956, Sep. 8-9   | Liberty          | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | Audley Frazier   | A.O. Joines    |
| 61. 1957, Sep. 7-8   | Osborne Memorial | Van F. Miller | George Shepherd | C.H. McKnight    | A.O. Joines    |



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| 63. 1959, Sep. 11-12 | I Pine Fork        | I E.C. Minnick    | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Earnest Opchurch   | I A.O. Joiner     |
| 64. 1960, Sep. 9-10  | I Laurel Springs   | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. T.S. Moxley  | I Guy W. Cain        | I Van F. Miller   |
| 65. 1961, Sep. 8-9   | I New River        | I Van F. Miller   | I Mrs. A.E. Sells   | I Guy W. Cain        | I Van F. Miller   |
| 66. 1962, Sep. 7-8   | I New Hope         | I Van Miller      | I Donna Jones       | I A.E. Sells         | I Rev. Jack Byrd  |
| 67. 1963, Sep. 6-7   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Cleo Whitney       | I Jack W. Byrd    |
| 68. 1964, Sep. 11-12 | I Sparta           | I Van F. Miller   | I Donna Jones       | I Bobby Elledge      | I Ben Reeves      |
| 69. 1965, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Lewis Williams  | I Donna Jones       | I Jack W. Byrd       | I Ben Reeves      |
| 70. 1966, Sep. 8-9   | I Liberty          | I Bobby Elledge   | I Donna Jones       | I James Durham       | I Van F. Miller   |
| 71. 1967, Sep. 9-10  | I Osborne Memorial | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Jack Richardson    | I Van F. Miller   |
| 72. 1968, Sep. 6-7   | I Scottville       | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Everett Shaw       | I J.K. Blum       |
| 73. 1969, Sep. 12-13 | I Pine Fork        | I J.K. Blum       | I Donna Jones       | I Austol Youmans     | I J.K. Blum       |
| 74. 1970, Sep. 11-12 | I Laurel Springs   | I J.K. Blum       | I Irene R. Wagner   | I J.T. Pardue        | I J.K. Blum       |
| 75. 1971, Sep. 10-11 | I New River        | I Claude Roupe    | I Jimmy L. Warden   | I Bobby Elledge      | I J.K. Blum       |
| 76. 1972, Sep. 8-9   | I Bellview         | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I Michael Sepaugh    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 77. 1973, Sep. 7-8   | I Chestnut Grove   | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole      | I Claude Roupe    |
| 78. 1974, Sep. 6-7   | I New Hope         | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I Micheal Sepaugh    | I Claude Roupe    |
| 79. 1975, Sep. 12-13 | I Sparta           | I Claude Roupe    | I Mrs. J.L. Osborne | I William Poole      | I Claude Roupe    |
| 80. 1976, Sep. 10-11 | I Mt. Carmel       | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I James Lambert      | I Claude Roupe    |
| 81. 1977, Sep. 9-10  | I Liberty          | I Micheal Sepaugh | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Jimmy Warden       | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 82. 1978, Sep. 8-9   | I Osborne Memorial | I Mac Warren      | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Bill Ballou        | I Micheal Sepaugh |
| 83. 1979, Sep. 7-8   | I Pine Fork        | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Dwight Leftwich    | I Mac Warren      |
| 84. 1980, Sep. 12-13 | I Laurel Springs   | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Glenn Graves       | I Thomas Neville  |
| 85. 1981, Sep. 11-12 | I New Hope         | I Thomas Neville  | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Gene Webb          | I Thomas Neville  |
| 86. 1982, Sep. 10-11 | I Bellview         | I Glenn Graves    | I Mrs. F.A. Wagner  | I Glenn Graves       | I Thomas Neville  |
|                      |                    |                   |                     | I Dr. Howard J. Ford | I Glenn Graves    |

| TIME                 | Church             | MODERATOR        | CLERK                | PREACHER              | Chmn.Ex          |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 87.1983, Sep. 9-10   | I Sparta           | I Glenn Graves   | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Dr. Tom Graves      | I Glenn Graves   |
| 88.1984, Sep. 7-8    | I Mount Carmel     | I Glenn Graves   | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Jim Lambert         | I Glenn Graves   |
| 89.1985, Sep. 13-14  | I Osborne Memorial | I Glenn Graves   | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Dr. Roy J. Smith    | I Glenn Graves   |
| 90.1986, Sep. 12-13  | I Liberty          | I Glenn Graves   | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Bill Ballou    | I Glenn Graves   |
| 91.1987, Sep. 11-12  | I Chestnut Grove   | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Tom Lolley     | I Bob Richardson |
| 92.1988, Sep. 10-11  | I Pine Fork        | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Bill Ballou    | I Bob Richardson |
| 93.1989, Sep. 8-9    | I Laurel Springs   | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Bobby Elledge  | I Bob Richardson |
| 94.1990, Sep. 14-15  | I New Hope         | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Larry Atwood   | I Bob Richardson |
| 95.1991, Sep. 13-14  | I Bellview         | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Johnny Huffman | I Bob Richardson |
| 96.1992, Sep. 11-12  | I Sparta           | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Jack Byrd      | I Bob Richardson |
| 97.1993, Sep. 10-11  | I Osborne Memorial | I Bob Richardson | I David Finney       | I Rev. Jimmy Warden   | I Bob Richardson |
| 98.1994, Sep. 9-10   | I Mount Carmel     | I Bob Richardson | I Karen Sealey       | I Rev. Russell Mabe   | I Bob Richardson |
| 99.1995, Sep. 8-9    | I Liberty          | I Bob Richardson | I Karen Sealey       | I Rev. Bill Yates     | I Bob Richardson |
| 100.1996, Sep. 13-14 | I Bellview         | I Bob Richardson | I Barbara Richardson | I Rev. Dean Adams     | I Bob Richardson |
| 101.1997, Sep. 12-13 | I Laurel Springs   | I Bob Richardson | I                    | I Rev. Dana Hines     | I Bob Richardson |
| 102.1998, Sep. 11-12 | I Osborne Memorial | I Bob Richardson | I                    | I Rev. Russell Mabe   | I Bob Richardson |
| 103.1999, Sep. 10-11 | I Mount Carmel     | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Everette Shaw  | I Bob Richardson |
| 103.2000, Sep. 8-9   | I Liberty          | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Ralph Smith    | I Bob Richardson |
| 104.2001, Sep. 7-8   | I Bellview         | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Billy Felts    | I Bob Richardson |
| 105.2002, Sep. 6-7   | I Laurel Springs   | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Dana Hines     | I Bob Richardson |
| 106.2003, Sep. 5-6   | I Osborne Memorial | I Bob Richardson | I Mrs. F. A. Wagner  | I Rev. Russell Mabe   | I Bob Richardson |
| 107.2004, Sep. 10-11 | I Mount Carmel     | I Bob Richardson | I Joyce Farley       | I Rev. Everette Shaw  | I Bob Richardson |
| 108.2005, Sep. 9-10  | I Liberty          | I Bob Richardson | I Joyce Farley       | I Rev. Ralph Smith    | I Bob Richardson |
| 109.2006, Sep. 8-9   | I Sparta           | I Larry Powers   | I Joyce Farley       | I Rev. John McCray    | I Larry Powers   |

| Table A - MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION<br>Director of Missions: Ross Wagner<br>5839 Pine Swamp Road<br>Sparta NC 28675 |                                                                     | Year<br>Organ-<br>ized | Year<br>Pastor<br>Came | AM<br>Worship<br>Service<br>Average | Baptisms<br>Total | Other<br>Additions | Total<br>Member-<br>ship | Resident<br>Member-<br>ship |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Church                                                                                                           | Pastor                                                              |                        |                        |                                     |                   |                    |                          |                             |
| Bellview                                                                                                         | Rev. Larry Powers<br>124 Dillard Drive<br>Jefferson NC 28640        | 1896                   | 2004                   |                                     |                   |                    |                          |                             |
| Laurel Springs                                                                                                   | Rev. Dana Hines<br>284 Montieith Acres Rd<br>Hays NC 28635          | 1891                   | 1993                   | 50                                  |                   |                    | 71                       | 50                          |
| Liberty                                                                                                          | Rev. Ralph Smith<br>376 Claybank Road<br>West Jefferson NC 28694    | 1886                   | 1972                   |                                     | 3                 |                    | 82                       | 69                          |
| Mount Carmel                                                                                                     | Rev. Everette Shaw<br>783 Shawtown Road<br>Glade Valley NC 28627    | 1884                   | 1952                   | 31                                  | 1                 |                    | 187                      | 170                         |
| Osborne<br>Memorial                                                                                              | Rev. Allen Huffman<br>415 Ashe Central Sch Rd<br>Jefferson NC 28640 | 1943                   | 2005                   | 38                                  | 3                 | 9                  |                          |                             |
| Sparta First                                                                                                     | Rev. John McCray<br>P O Box 668<br>Sparta NC 28675                  |                        |                        |                                     |                   |                    |                          |                             |



| <i>Table C –<br/>DISCIPLESHIP<br/>TRAINING</i> | Total<br>Ongoing<br>D. T. | <i>Table D<br/>MUSIC<br/>MINISTRY</i> | Total<br>Music<br>Enroll<br>ment | <i>Table E<br/>WMU</i>      | WMU<br>Total | Ages<br>18 &<br>Over | WMU<br>Leadership<br>Team | Missions<br>Projects<br>Participants |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Church</b>                                  |                           |                                       |                                  |                             |              |                      |                           |                                      |
| <b>Bellview</b>                                | <b>0</b>                  | Bellview                              | 25                               | <b>Bellview</b>             | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>20</b>                            |
| <b>Laurel<br/>Springs</b>                      | <b>0</b>                  | Laurel Springs                        | 21                               | <b>Laurel<br/>Springs</b>   | <b>18</b>    | <b>18</b>            | <b>1</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Liberty</b>                                 | <b>0</b>                  | Liberty                               | 6                                | <b>Liberty</b>              | <b>1</b>     | <b>1</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Mount<br/>Carmel</b>                        | <b>0</b>                  | Mount Carmel                          | 29                               | <b>Mount<br/>Carmel</b>     | <b>14</b>    | <b>10</b>            | <b>4</b>                  | <b>3</b>                             |
| <b>Osborne<br/>Memorial</b>                    | <b>0</b>                  | Osborne<br>Memorial                   | 20                               | <b>Osborne<br/>Memorial</b> | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>             | <b>0</b>                  | <b>0</b>                             |
| <b>Sparta First<br/>(Watchcare)</b>            |                           |                                       |                                  |                             |              |                      |                           |                                      |









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**September 5 and 6, 2008**

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**Preacher:**

**Rev. Dana Hines**

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**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
THE ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH  
ANNUAL SESSION  
(INCLUDING 12 YEARS WITH ASHE  
ASSOCIATION)  
SEPTEMBER 7 AND 8, 2007  
BECAUSE YOU CARE**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

7:15	Musical Prelude	Sally Dickens
7:30	Hymn # 435	<i>He Keeps Me Singing</i>
	Welcome	Rev. Larry Powers
	Opening Prayer	Rev. Ralph Smith
	Roll Call and	
	Seating of Messengers:	Rev. Dana Hines
	Bellview	Laurel Springs
	Mount Carmel	Liberty
		Osborne Memorial
		Sparta First
	Recognition of Guests	Rev. Dana Hines
7:45	Special Music	Liberty
8:00	Hymn # 35	<i>How Great Thou Art</i>
8:05	Historian Report	Mary Rector
8:10	Special Music	Laurel Springs
8:25	Director of Missions Report	Ross Wagner
8:40	Hymn # 352	<i>I Am Thine, O Lord</i>
8:45	Special Music	Bellview
9:00	Sermon	Rev. Larry Powers
	Closing Hymn of Fellowship # 256	<i>Blest Be the Tie</i>
	Benediction	Rev. Everette Shaw

**SATURDAY MORNING:**

8:50	Musical Prelude	Sally Dickens
9:00	Opening Prayer	Rev. Allen Huffman
9:05	Hymn # 161	<i>The Way of the Cross Leads Home</i>
9:10	Welcome and Recognition of Guests	Rev. Larry Powers
9:15	Special Music	Mount Carmel
9:30	Reports: Hispanic Ministry Executive Board	Rev. Santiago Reales Rev. Larry Powers
9:45	Hymn # 33	<i>To God Be the Glory</i>
9:50	Reports: Treasurer Finance (Budget) Youth Baptist Retirement Homes Other Business	Patsy Jarrett Patsy Jarrett Wanda Cleary Gayle Brown
10:20	Hymn # 454	<i>Down at the Cross</i>
10:25	Special Music	Osborne Memorial
10:40	Nominating Committee	Wilma Foster
10:45	Hymn # 409	<i>When We Walk with the Lord</i>
10:50	Memorial Service	Wanda Cleary
11:00	Special Music	Sparta First
11:15	Sermon	Rev. Gayle D. Brown Western Area Representative Baptist Retirement Homes
	Benediction & Blessing Lunch	Rev. John McCray



## **Nominating Committee Report**

### **Officers 2007-2008**

Moderator	Allen Huffman, Osborne Memorial
Vice-Moderator	Dana Hines, Laurel Springs
Clerk	Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs
Treasurer	Patsy Jarrett, Sparta First
Assistant Clerk/Treasurer	Irene Wagner, Liberty
Auditor	Judith Sands, Bellview
Historian	Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial
Pianist	Sally Dickens, Bellview
Assistant Pianist	Sandy Hamm, Osborne Memorial
Music Director	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Assistant Music Director	Josh Howard, Sparta First
Youth Director	Wanda Cleary, Osborne Memorial
Assistant Youth Director	Paul Braxton, Sparta First
VBS Director	Ross Wagner, Liberty

### **Nominating Committee**

Steven Joines, Chairman	Bellview
Wilma Foster	Laurel Springs
Irene Wagner	Liberty
Jimmy Gillespie	Mount Carmel
Roger Pugh	Osborne Memorial
Linda Yerke	Sparta First

### **Finance Committee**

Patsy Jarrett, Chairman	Sparta First
Brad Mabe	Bellview
Joann Hoppers	Liberty
Jan Shaw	Mount Carmel
Reba Osborne	Osborne Memorial
Shelia Taylor	Laurel Springs
Lorraine Brooks	Sparta First

### **Music Committee**

Director	Buster Story, Laurel Springs
Assistant Director	Josh Howard, Sparta First
Pianist	Sally Dickens, Bellview
Assistant Pianist	Sandy Hamm, Osborne Memorial

### **Youth & Baptist Children's Home Committee**

Wanda Cleary, Director	Osborne Memorial
Paul Braxton, Assistant Director	Sparta First
Daina Blevins	Liberty
Jan Shaw or Tobi Jones	Mount Carmel
Amy Hall	Laurel Springs
Gay Scott	Bellview

### **Missions Development Committee**

Irene Wagner	Liberty
Allean Amburn	Bellview
Joyce Farley	Laurel Springs
Marlene Caudill	Mount Carmel
Wanda Cleary	Osborne Memorial
Susie Miller	Sparta First

### **Credentials Committee:**

Steven Joines	Bellview
Everett Elliott	Laurel Springs
Dewey Hoppers	Liberty
Jay Shaw	Mount Carmel
Wayne Cleary	Osborne Memorial
Gerald Leftwich	Sparta First

### **Ordination Committee:**

Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman	Mount Carmel
All Other Pastors in the Association	

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster, Chairman

**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
111<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SESSION**

**MINUTES**

**FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 7, 2007**

The Friday Evening Session of the Alleghany Baptist Association convened at 7:15 PM with a musical prelude by Sally Dickens.

The opening hymn by the congregation was 'He Keeps Me Singing'. Rev. Larry Powers gave the welcome, and Rev. Ralph Smith gave the opening prayer.

Rev. Dana Hines did the roll call and asked for the seating of the messengers.

The youth from Liberty Baptist Church performed special music, which was enjoyed by everyone.

The congregation sang "How Great Thou Art". The historian report was submitted by Mary Rector.

Special music was presented by the Laurel Springs Baptist Church Choir.

The Director of Missions report was submitted by Ross Wagner. He also presented a certificate of appreciation from the Lottie Moon Offering..

Rev. John McCray gave a report on plans for a crusade for youth by Team Impact Muscle Ministry. They do a very good job of sharing the gospel message. He asked the churches to help with financing and with supplies.

The congregation sang "I Am Thine, O Lord". Special music was presented by Bellview Baptist Church. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Larry Powers. The congregation sang the closing hymn 'Blest Be The Tie'. The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Everette Shaw.

**SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 8, 2007**

A musical prelude was performed by Sally Dickens.

At 9 Am Rev. Allen Huffman gave the opening prayer.

The congregation sang "The Way of The Cross Leads Home"

Rev. Larry Powers gave the welcome and recognized our guest, Rev. Gayle Brown of the Baptist Retirement Homes. Special music was presented by Mt. Carmel Baptist Church.

The Executive Board Report was submitted by Moderator Rev. Larry Powers and was approved on a second by Bob Richardson.

The congregation sang "To God Be The Glory". The Treasurer's Report was read by Irene Wagner and was approved after a second by Wanda Cleary.

The budget for 2007-2008 was read by Irene Wagner and was approved on a motion by Everett Elliott. The Youth Committee Report was read by Wanda Cleary.

Rev. Gayle Brown gave a report on the Baptist Retirement Homes. The congregation sang "Down At The Cross". Special music was presented by The Crossbeams from Osborne Memorial Baptist Church.

The Nominating Committee Report was submitted by Wilma Foster and was approved on a motion by Bob Richardson. The congregation sang "When We Walk With The Lord".

The Memorial Service was presented by Wanda Cleary.

Special music was presented by Sparta First Baptist Church.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. Gayle Brown of the Baptist Retirement Homes.

Rev. John McCray gave the benediction and the blessing.

## **BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY 2007**

Bellview Baptist Church is located on State Road 113, approximately three miles from the Laurel Springs Post Office

The written record of Bellview's existence was found in a Bible belonging to Alice Long Jones – stating that Sunday School was conducted in the Masonic Lodge Hall, which also served as a two-teacher school. In later years, the Lodge united with Sparta, the school consolidated with Nathans Creek, and the building was sold and torn down.

Bellview Baptist Church was established in 1896 with nineteen members. The statistical roll of churches in the 1896-97 minutes of the Ashe and Alleghany Association record Reverend Frank B. Cheek as Pastor and J. W. Phouts as Church Clerk. Little else is known about Bellview until approximately ten years later.

On May 9, 1909, Bellview was reorganized with twenty-one members. Shortly thereafter, the present frame building with a seating capacity of one hundred fifty was constructed. The Reverend George M. Reeves served as Pastor, Lloyd S. Richardson as Clerk, and Shade Plummer as deacon.

Many pastors have served Bellview over the years. Limited services were held from 1953 until 1971, when Jimmy Warden was elected Pastor. Under his leadership, the church made progress in all areas, as has been the case under all succeeding pastors. Following the resignation of Reverend Warden in 1976, Lloyd Burgess was elected pastor in January of 1977 and served until his resignation in

October of 1988. In 1988, John Huffman was elected pastor and served until February, 1997. In August, 1997, the church elected Billy Felts as pastor, who served until July, 2002. From July, 2002 until the time Darien South was elected in January, 2003, Bellview was without a full-time pastor. Darien South served the church until July, 2004. In September, 2004, Larry Powers was elected as pastor and continues to serve to the present time.

Presently the Board of Deacons consists of: Leonard Church, Chairman; Jarvis Dickens; Eddie Hart; Brad Mabe; and Gary Scott.

From 1976 to present, church treasurers have been: Lessie Shepherd (1976-1986); Becky Scott (1987-1988); Dorothy Brooks (1988-2006); Brad Mabe (2006-present).

From 1960 to present, church clerks have been: Juanita Church (1960-1975); Virginia Warden (1975-1979); Jo Ann Church (1979-1984); Brenda Faw (1985-1999); and Judith Sands (2000-present).

Upkeep and maintenance have been an on-going project. In 1979, a tract of land was donated to Bellview from the F.U. Taylor Estate in loving memory of Mr. Taylor. This land was developed into a fellowship and recreation area with a pavilion, swings, and a merry-go-round. A piano was purchased in memory of Victor Jones. New pulpit furniture serves as a memorial to George Shepherd. A granite sign at the new drive on State Road 113 is in memory of Maggie Atwood. In the late seventies, a need for more room resulted in Bellview's first major renovation, including four new Sunday School rooms and improvements to the interior. Since that time, additions include a full basement with more Sunday School rooms, a fellowship hall, and a Pastor's study.



New sheetrock and wainscoting brighten the walls of the Sanctuary. Indirect lighting and a vaulted drop ceiling also add to the beauty of the church. In 1998, work began on the pavilion area which is now enclosed, heated, and used as a multi-purpose building. Since 2001, improvements to the kitchen area, a new heating/cooling system, enhancements of and additions to the children's play area, a new piano, a sidewalk from the front of the church to the fellowship hall entrance, landscaping, paving and striping of the parking lot (with designated handicapped space), a new and improved Pastor's study have been completed.

In 2006, the church began a program aimed at activities for its Senior Citizens (age 50 and over). As Bellview's first Senior Citizens Activities Director (a post for which she volunteered), Cheryl Lanning has created a wonderful program which is greatly enjoyed by its members.

Bellview hosted the Alleghany Baptist Association in 1912, 1919, 1927, 1933, 1942, 1953, 1972, 1982, 1991, 1996 (Bellview's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary as well as the Association's 100<sup>th</sup> annual session), 2001, and this year, 2007.

Bellview and the Association wish to acknowledge the following individuals and to thank them for their extensive research and preservation of records: the late Mrs. A.O. Joines, Mrs. T.S. Moxley, and Brenda Faw.

A large portion of this report taken from paper submitted by Mary Rector, Historian (dated 08/21/01)

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary P. Rector, Historian

## EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

I feel privileged and blessed to have been your moderator for another year, and I appreciate the dedication of your executive committee members and the pastors of each church who make up and support the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee met for its four regularly scheduled meetings during the past year and each meeting has been well attended. There has been a tremendous spirit of cooperation and unity among our churches in carrying out the tasks God has entrusted us to do through mission projects, both locally and in other parts of our state, events for our youth, and many community outreach projects.

Let us continue to pray and seek God's leadership and direction for our association in the upcoming year as we work together as a group of cooperating churches to carry out the work God has for us to do.

Respectfully submitted,      Larry T. Powers, Moderator

## ASSOCIATIONAL REVIVAL 2007

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 21</b>	
Location	-	Mount Carmel
Special Music	-	Laurel Springs
Preacher	-	Rev. Ralph Smith
<b>Monday</b>	<b>October 22</b>	
Location	-	Osborne Memorial
Special Music	-	Bellview
Preacher	-	Rev. Dana Hines
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 23</b>	
Location	-	Sparta First
Special Music	-	Liberty
Preacher	-	Rev. Larry Powers

## **ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH & BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME COMMITTEE 2006-2007**

The committee met a good number of times. We discussed ways that our churches could minister to members away at college. We discussed a youth crusade at a school. We talked about church members coming as a group to school events. We have some children's shoes in storage. We have the opportunity to provide shoes to students at Piney Creek School again.

Our churches have helped the Baptist Children's Homes in many ways. The Food RoundUp and the cookout at Mills Home were association-wide efforts.

The Associational Youth sponsored a number of activities:

October 15, 2006	Pizza and Youth Night at the Associational Revival
December 9, 2006	Decorated treat bags and New Testaments were given to children at Cora's Charities' Angel Tree Give-Away
Morning	
December 9, 2006	Live Nativity Down Main Street and at Trojan Village
Evening	
March 25, 2007	Bowling and Pizza Party
June 24, 2007	Cookout at Cumberland Knob on the parkway
July 28, 2007	Baptist Children's Home Picnic at Thomasville

Respectfully submitted,  
Wanda Cleary

## **BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH**

### **2006-2007**

Bellview is very grateful to the Lord for His many blessings this past year. The church continues to be a loving and close knit group of believers who enjoy serving God and others,

The church is grateful for the addition of church-family members, especially for the salvation of souls. This past year, four children and one adult were baptized. Additionally, four individuals were welcomed into fellowship by transfer of letter.

Major improvements to the church include paving and striping of the parking lot (with a designated handicapped space) and completion of a new and improved Pastor's study.

An updated web site was re-designed and set up by a member of our youth group and may be accessed by our new domain name:

[www.bellviewmissionarybaptistchurch.com](http://www.bellviewmissionarybaptistchurch.com)

Bellview continued to support the following mission activities during the 2006-2007 church year: "Share-A-Meal" (preparation and delivery of meals to sick or shut-in members of the community); Christmas for needy families; Cora's Charities; Solid Rock Food Closet; Rock of Ages Prison Ministry; Annie Armstrong; The Cooperative Program; Lottie Moon; North Carolina Missions; Baptist Children's Home; North Carolina Baptist Hospital; Uplands Reach; and the local 4-H Club. Special local, national, and international needs are addressed as they arise.

Established traditions such as secret pal; Mothers and Fathers Day luncheons; Christmas caroling and

distribution of fruit baskets; a Christmas play presented by the youth; Easter sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; church picnics at the river; and Old Fashion Day continue to be enjoyed by the congregation.

Thanks to the efforts of Bellview's first Senior Citizens Activities Director, members age 50 and over are enjoying a wonderful time of fellowship coupled with interesting and fun activities. Also, Bellview recognized the first Sunday in May, 2007 as "Senior Adult Day," designating this date as an annual event.

This report began with gratitude to the Lord for His many blessings and rightfully should end with gratitude – for, without Him, we can do nothing. We ask all who read this to please pray for our church – that we may be good stewards of God's bounty, honor Him in ALL we do and be faithful in seeking the lost for Christ.

### **DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS**

I discovered multi-colored soccer balls at the Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting in Greensboro. I take the Ball of Many Colors to director of missions meetings. One ball traveled from China to Missouri to Sparta to Yadkinville to South Africa. Another DOM planned to get 15 balls for a mission trip to Vietnam. Career missionaries supported by the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering are using soccer balls and other tools to share the gospel around the world. We may touch other nations by helping with the Hispanic ministry in Alleghany County. There may come a time when our association reaches out to international students at A. S. U.

Our churches have the opportunity to help churches in West Virginia. Dennis Cherry from Summerville spoke at our annual meeting. We could do VBS, give children's shoes to a W. V. ministry to the poor, and do other things. Our churches are loving God and loving our neighbors.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ross Wagner

### **FINANCE COMMITTEE (BUDGET) REPORT 2007-2008**

Item	2006-2007 Budget	2006-2007 Disbursements	2007-2008 Proposed	2007-2008 Budget
Salary	6000.00	6000.00	6000.00	6000.00
Social	459.00	459.00	459.00	459.00
Security				
Travel	320.00	240.00	320.00	320.00
Telephone	350.00	367.84	400.00	400.00
Evangelism	200.00	0	0	0
& Church Training				
Youth	950.00	379.87	850.00	850.00
Printing	400.00	291.43	300.00	300.00
Minutes				
Missions	400.00	251.84	400.00	400.00
Hispanic	1200.00	1200.00	1200.00	1200.00
Missions				
Operating				
Expense	<u>440.00</u>	<u>273.13</u>	<u>440.00</u>	<u>440.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,719.00</b>	<b>9,692.61</b>	<b>10,369.00</b>	<b>10,369.00</b>



## **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SPARTA IN 2007**

April 15<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>, 2007, we held a revival with Wray Wheelless as the speaker.

June the 3<sup>rd</sup> through the 9<sup>th</sup>, our youth and Baptist Men went a mission trip to Gulfport, Mississippi. We completed three building projects while there in Gulfport. The youth went to Atlanta to a light show on the way back home.

Our youth also attended several concerts throughout the year.

## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH 2006-2007 YEAR IN REVIEW**

Many blessings have come our way during this associational year. Easter was celebrated with a sunrise service in the cemetery followed by breakfast and fellowship. There was no Sunday School, and we had an early worship service.

Our 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday night gospel singings were a wonderful blessing and time of fellowship. By then, our summer visitors and friends had made their way back to our beautiful Blue Ridge mountains. They pitch in and help out with VBS and Homecoming, and they join us in choir, Bible study, and prayer meeting. In the fall, they migrate to their winter homes, and we miss their presence.

Our pastor, Dana Hines, strengthens our understanding of the Word. We have studied the Purpose Driven Life, creation vs. evolution, Romans, and presently Galatians.

We are blessed to have four dedicated pianists, Nina Elliott, Wilma Foster, Judy Hines, and Doris Kern. We love and appreciate them so much.

Attendance for Homecoming was 110. Guest speaker was retired minister, Ivan Dammeron, with a timely message on the prodigal son.

Three of our youth were baptized in the creek in front of Eddie and Pam Hall's home. We appreciate them so much for the warm reception they extend to our church. Those baptized were Mikki Edwards, Amber Story, and Josh Story. What a blessing our youth are to the church. Two new members were received by letter.

To all committee members who have served and are now serving you deserve special recognition and thanks. The special occasion committee certainly lives up to its title. Thank you ladies for making every occasion special.

We had visits from missionaries we support that shared their work of faith. Lance and Laura Ostman serve in the Philippines, Kit and Avery Putrakul serve in Cambodia, and David Sexton serves as North American Director for Field Missions. Local missions we support who came to speak were Rick Hurley of Prison Ministries and a Gideon speaker. Two of our deacons are active Gideons. We are grateful to God for our loving church family.

### **LAUREL SPRINGS WMU**

The Laurel Springs WMU continues to meet monthly for mission study, fellowship, and planning for projects that will glorify our Lord through missions.

Some of these projects include: Lottie Moon, Mother's Day Baptist Hospital, and Annie Armstrong offerings; special monetary gifts to the families of our church supported missionaries, and several home missionaries; food and supplies for families in need;

supplies for the Solid Rock Food Bank of Alleghany, food and meals for families in time of death and illness. We also do refreshments for Bible School and our monthly summer Gospel Singings, and at Christmas we always do gifts for several Angel Tree Children.

This year two very special projects were added to our regular ones listed above. The WMU gave tape/CD players and gospel tapes and CDs to residents at the nursing home, as well as red-lettered New Testaments to each attendant at Bible School.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wilma R. Foster, President

## **HIGHLIGHTS FROM LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH**

The church participated in the Associational Youth Live Nativity. Destiny Blevins from Liberty rode the donkey down Main Street. The church participated in the associational bowling event, the associational Cumberland Knob picnic, and the associational Baptist Children's Home cookout at Thomasville.

The Vacation Bible School was very successful and inspirational. There was good attendance and special singing for our revival.

We participated in Pastor Appreciation Sunday with a meal and a gift. The youth and children practice and sing often. We purchased t-shirts with Liberty Missionary Baptist Youth 2007 printed on them.

The church has a new front porch, new front steps, and a new handicap ramp.

We continue to have Wednesday Night Bible Study for adults and youth.

**MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**Glade Valley, NC 28627**  
**2006-2007**

**Mt. Carmel Church**

As we look back, we find a year filled with testimonies, family professions and baptisms, hearts filled with sorrow following deaths, anniversary celebrations, wonderful fellowship meetings with singing groups, and an outpouring of generosity for the Baptist Children's Home and the beginnings of a youth choir. God's spirit is alive and powerful as we gathered to worship, anoint the sick with oil and honor sacred traditions with sunrise Easter Service, Communion and Foot Washing ceremonies.

**We began the year** with special Youth Singers from Knob Creek, TN brought by Thomas & Doris McMillian. Their songs touched our hearts. Worship Service was followed by a cookout for the youth.

**Personal testimonies during the year** were powerful reminders of God's touch in the lives of our church members. **Ruth Ellen Wood** said she felt someone touch her hand. With that touch, she was given the knowledge that she and her family were going to be OK. The next week, she received a letter from her doctor giving her a clean bill of health. At the January 7<sup>th</sup> Worship Service, we had a wonderful time of testimony and praise by everyone at church that day. Thanks were given for the blessings of the previous year, prayers were requested for the New Year knowing many faced sickness and personal hardship. **Danny Crawford** gave thanks for his experience in accepting Jesus and told of how happy he was. The next week, **his wife Jerry and daughter Maranda** made a

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

## BELLVIEW

Mrs. Earlene Houck Shepherd

## LAUREL SPRINGS

Mrs. Kathryn Nielsen

## LIBERTY

Mrs. Patsy Huffman Edwards  
Mr. Ralph Crouse

## MOUNT CARMEL

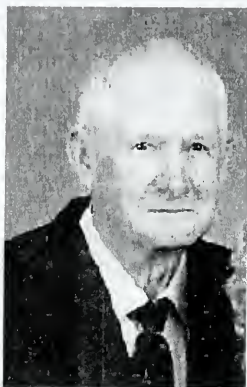
Mrs. Lori Crouse Easter  
Mr. Allan Shaw  
Mrs. Ida Mae Crouse  
Mr. F. A. McKnight

## OSBORNE MEMORIAL

None

## SPARTA FIRST

Mr. Carl Howard  
Mrs. Ruby Crouse



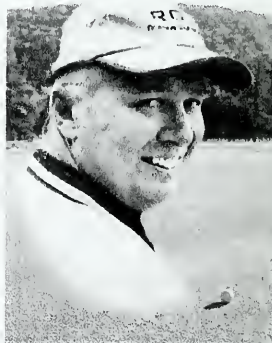
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**Mount Carmel**



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**Mr. Ralph Crouse**  
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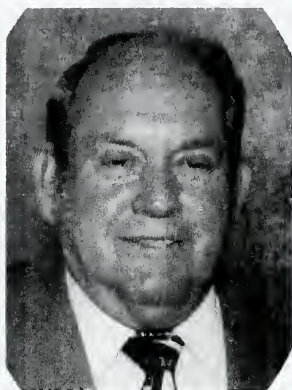
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**Liberty**



**Mrs. Ida Mae Crouse**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Mrs. Ruby Crouse**  
**Sparta First**



**Mr. Carl Howard**  
**Sparta First**



**Mrs. Earlene Houck Shepherd**  
**Bellview**

profession by testimony. All three were baptized on May 27<sup>th</sup>. On July 7<sup>th</sup>, **Edward Lyons** was anointed with oil with 5 preachers in attendance. Praise singing and testifying carried on for over two hours. In June, **Allen Shaw** gave thanks for the sweet spirit he felt during Worship Service. This was the last time we celebrated with Allen prior to his death the end of July. On July 29<sup>th</sup>, **Carolyn Oliver** from Jonesville attended Worship Service with a testimony. She sang Red Is the Flow and In Calvary. Carolyn talked of having polio from the age of 4, being confined to a wheelchair and dedicating her life to God. Her song and testimony gives praise to God's work in her life. **Brother Ivan Dameron** joined us for Worship Service, testimony and special preaching in July and August. And finally the testimony of Abel Agranvante, a missionary, touched our hearts with the amazing power of God's word in the Philippines.

**Mt. Carmel Revivals** were held April 22 to 25 and November 5-8 with Pastor Roger Jennings. Special singing was provided by Harvest Time, Mt. Church Carmel Choir, Shaw Brothers, Zane & Mable Brooks and Osborne Memorial Choir.

**Adult Bible Study** is held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month with continuing study in Revelation.

**Communion and Foot Washing** was held August 5<sup>th</sup>. Mt. Carmel Church members and several association church members attended. Mt. Carmel pledged to support this ceremony when it is started in other association churches.

**A special Wedding Anniversary** Worship Service celebration was held on February 18<sup>th</sup> for Pastor Everette Shaw and his wife, Kathy, married 60 years. The church

choir sang specially selected songs. Members honored them with words of thanks, memories of special testimonies and professions.

**The Mt. Carmel Youth** are beginning a youth choir with songs and hand language. Opal (Tobi) Jones is practicing with the choir and Sunday School teachers as they learn songs that praise and honor God.

**Paper Products**, laundry soap and cleaning supplies for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville are continually dropped off at the church. We have collected about ½ mile of the "Mile and Penny" challenge for the Children's home. Thomas and Ethel Cleary are a special blessing to our church in this collection effort.

**In sorrow**, we pray for the family of church members who have passed away this year: Lori Crouse Easter, Ida Mae Crouse, Allen Shaw and F. A. McKnight. We also, grieve and pray for the James & Judy Miles family with the passing of Jimmy McMeans, with Judith Miles in the passing of her husband Alfred and with Hazel Crouse in the passing of her husband, Cecil and granddaughter Kimberly Fullbright.

### **Holiday Events:**

- The church collected 26 boxes for the Franklin Graham Shoebox Operation.
- The Youth performed the Christmas play, **Nestled in the Stable** by David Moberg on December 10<sup>th</sup>. Candy, apples and special gifts from the WMU were enjoyed by the children.
- The New Years Eve tradition of "Singin' Out the Old & In the New" was held Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> with special singers. Snacks were provided in the Fellowship Hall.

- Easter Sunrise service was held on April 8<sup>th</sup> with a fellowship breakfast following the service. About 50 people attended the service and breakfast. Over 100 Easter Eggs were hidden for the children to hunt. Candy, prizes and special gifts were provided for all the children.
- On Mother's Day & Father's Day the oldest and youngest mother and father were given cards with gift checks from the church. The Youth read poems and gave out special keepsake gifts to all mothers and fathers.

### **Vacation Bible School:**

- We studied Daniel 3:1-30 where Shadrach, Meshach and Abendnego were thrown into the fiery furnace but protected by God from the flames. Mark Miles from the Cherry Lane Fire Department brought a fire truck to the church. He explained how God helped firemen protect us from danger also. The day ended at Deer Creek with fun for all.

### **MT. CARMEL WMU 2006-2007**

The Mt. Carmel WMU meets once a month for Bible study, fellowship, and planning projects.

This past year we participated in the Mountain Heritage Festival in September. Members prepared many baked goods and canned goods for sell. We prepared kraut as a group, and individuals had canned a variety of things such as green beans, tomatoes, pickled beets, chow chow, pickles, spaghetti sauce, and jellies. This is our main fundraiser all year. These funds go to so many different projects during the year. We assist the Solid Rock Food Closet monetarily each month, newly wed couples in our

church have received large trash cans with paper products and kitchen items, families with newborn babies have received gift cards or money for their baby, sick church family members have received funds according to the needs, and we have assisted church families that have lost a family member. Numerous cards have also been sent for sickness, bereavement, and inspiration.

In November we prepared 20 shoeboxes to send to Samaritan's Purse in Boone. Gifts were purchased and wrapped for all the children that attended our Christmas Play. We also provided funds to a family to purchase Christmas gifts for their family, who would have gone without a Christmas otherwise.

We participated in the celebration of the 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Pastor Everette and Kathy Shaw in February. We also celebrated Everette's birthday that month.

Many meals have been hosted by WMU during the year; Thanksgiving, Easter breakfast, and dinners for visiting singing groups.

In May, we celebrated Mother's Day by presenting the Mothers with handmade scissors holders and kitchen towels. In June, we celebrated with our Fathers with a gift of flashlights, batteries, and insulated cups.

Eight members met in August to prepare 32 quarts of kraut for the festival in September.

Elections were held in July for the coming year: Lisa Miles-Director, Ruth Ellen Wood-Assistant Director, Brenda Blevins-Secretary, Freida Cockerham-Treasurer. We have been richly blessed by the Lord this past year.

Submitted by: Brenda Blevins, Secretary



## **OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH REVIEW OF 2006 – 2007**

Once again we want to give God thanks for the many wonderful blessings He has bestowed upon our church during the past year.

We praise Him for the 16 new members He has added to our church family. After the baptism of 2 of these on September 24, we enjoyed a cookout at the creek. The other 14 members were received by letter.

In September we began a Bible Study on Wednesday nights which has continued to have a good attendance of 20 – 25.

Our Lord has blessed us in being able to give in many different areas and in many different ways. It is only through and by Him that we can serve others.

A special donation was sent to Ebenezer Children's Home.

After Jed and Jasmine Resurreccions' visit to our church, we voted to support their mission work in the Philippines.

Our pastor, Allen Huffman, was part of a mission team which went to Mississippi to make repairs for Katrina victims.

Our church participated in the Franklin Graham Operation Shoebox collection.

Coins the children collect each Sunday were sent to the Baptist Children's Home and Ebenezer Children's Home for Christmas. We also provided Christmas gifts for 6 local children. Gifts were also sent to Evan and Chasity Warden. Evan is stationed in Iraq while Chasity and 4 month old, Ian, are on base in Alaska. Please remember them in your prayers.

Our church participated in the Nativity Scene with many from our church attending. On December 22 a Christmas program was presented by children and adults. One of our members donated treat bags for this special evening service. Some of our members attended a Christmas drama in Conover.

A donation was made to the Alleghany Pregnancy Center.

During April we were blessed to hear a Gideon speaker, Mike Goals, and donated Gideon Bibles through a special offering.

Our Easter Sunrise Service was followed by a fellowship breakfast prepared by our men. Larry Andrews gave the eleven o'clock message.

We received wonderful blessings during two great revivals at our church. In March Rev. Tommy Dollar and son, Jeff, brought the messages, and Rev. Russell Sheets delivered the messages for the May revival. We enjoyed special singing each night.

We celebrated Mother's Day and Father's Day by presenting a special gift to the oldest, youngest, and the mother and father with the most children. A red rose was given to all mothers with a highlighter and Bible bookmark being given to all fathers. A special program honored our pastor's wife on Mother's Day with our pastor being honored on Father's Day.

Nine of our members were part of the Montana Mission Team which ministered to the Blackfeet Indians through a Bible School on their reservation. We rejoice that many souls were saved as a result of this mission.

We give God the glory for allowing our church to raise more than \$1200 for Relay for Life.

Our church sponsored two of our youth who attended Upland Reach Youth Camp which was conducted by Tim Debord. We were thankful to receive 74 new church hymnals which given by Deanna Dixon in memory of Dean and Jean Taylor and Wayne and Grace Warden.

Bible School was held July 15-20 with an average attendance of 65-70 each night. A cookout and special program were enjoyed on the last night with many children's parents attending. A donation was sent Heifer Project International, a State Missions project. This money purchased two flocks of ducks to be sent to an outlying foreign country. Bible School offerings were divided among Mills Home in Thomasville, Montana Blackfeet Mission, and Jed Resurreccions' mission work.

In July we also enjoyed a cookout at the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville with 23 of our members attending. Drinks, school supplies, and cameras were given to the children.

The first Sunday in each month we sing and visit with residents at SunBridge Care and Rehabilitation Center. This is truly a blessing to us.

Our church was blessed by participating in the cookout at Cumberland Knob for Associational youth.

On the last Sunday in August we celebrated Homecoming with a fellowship meal afterwards.

Improvements made to our church and church grounds this past year include new basement windows, the storage building being rebuilt and enlarged, paving of more parking area, additional drain lines, and sealer put on picnic shelter and tables. Sarah Houser donated brick chips for the beds at the front of the church with additional chips being purchased by the church.

We ask you to help us pray for our van ministry which will begin in the very near future.

We want to give God all the honor and praise for each one of these blessings and thank Him for allowing us the privilege of participating in His service.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

**09/01/06 – 08/31/07**

**BEGINNING BALANCE – September 1, 2006      \$ 1,502.11**

#### **RECEIPTS**                      (9/1/06 – 9/31/07)

Bellview	\$ 3,412.55
First Baptist – Sparta	\$ 1,400.00
Laurel Springs	\$ 750.00
Liberty	\$ 1,200.00
Mount Carmel	\$ 600.00
Osborne Memorial	\$ 1,850.00

Baptist State Convention	\$ 26.52
Skyline Telephone	
(Capital Credit)	<u>\$ 30.38</u>

**TOTAL RECEIPTS**                      **\$ 9,269.45**

**GRAND TOTAL AVAILABLE**                      **\$ 10,771.56**

EXPENDITURES (9/1/06 – 9/31/07)

T. R. Wagner (Salary)	\$ 5,541.00
US Treasury (SS Tax-pd & reserved)	\$ 1,147.50
T.R. Wagner (Reimbursements)	
Office Expense	\$ 97.63
Mileage	\$ 80.00
Postage	\$ 15.60
BREMCO	\$ 30.00
Assoc. Youth Picnic	\$ 135.87
Conference Travel	\$ 160.00
Cook's (plaque)	\$ 26.74
First Baptist (Hispanic Ministry)	\$ 1,200.00
Skyline (Monthly Draft)	\$ 367.84
First Comm Bank (Safe Deposit Box)	\$ 45.00
Papa John's Pizza (Youth outing)	\$ 109.00
Trojan Family Bowl (Youth Rec.)	\$ 135.00
P. Blevins (Apt. rent-V.Coley)	\$ 100.00
Sparta Wilco(Charitable-Fuel)	\$ 28.02
BREMCO (Charitable-Elec)	\$ 93.82
Copy Xpress (print Minutes)	\$ 291.43
Staples (office expense)	<u>\$ 50.16</u>

<b><u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</u></b>	<b>\$ 9,692.61</b>
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<b>BALANCE AS OF 8/31/07</b>	<b>\$ 1,078.95</b>
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Submitted By Patsy Jarrett, Treasurer

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

TIME	I Church	I MODERATOR	I CLERK	I PREACHER	I Chmn.Ex. Comm
1.1886, Sep. 24-25	I Buffalo	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I G.W. Greene	I James Eller
2.1887, Sep. 22-24	I New Hope	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I S.M. Collins	I James Eller
3.1888, Sep. 6-8	I Apple Grove	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Honeycutt	I James Eller
4.1889, Sep. 12-14	I Landmark	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
5.1890, Sep. 18-20	I Jefferson	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I J.F. Fletcher	I James Eller
6.1891, Sep. 17-19	I Sparta	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I F.B. Cheek	I James Eller
7.1892, Sep. 15-17	I Bethel	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I D.J. Harris	I James Eller
8.1893, Sep. 14-16	I Apple Grove	I T.M. Duncan	I H.A. Eller	I W.H. Glenn	I James Eller
9.1894, Sep. 13-15	I Healing Springs	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I E. Tucker	I James Eller
10.1895, Oct. 3-5	I Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I R.L. Shoaf	I T.M. Duncan	I James Eller
11.1896, Oct. 1-3	I Brushy Fork	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E. Blevins	I J.H. Doughton
12.1897, Sep. 28-30	I Forest Home	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E.F. Tatum	I H.A. Eller
1.1897, Nov. 5	I Sparta	I J.H. Doughton	I J.M. Wagoner	I E. Tucker	I J.H. Doughton
2.1898, Oct. 7-9	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I L.D. Vaughan	I J.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I T.R. Windsor
3.1899, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I R.K. Johnson	I R.L. Doughton
4.1900, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I James Shumate	I R.L. Doughton
5.1901, Sep. 5-7	I Pine Fork	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I C.M. Rock	I R.L. Doughton
6.1902, Sep. 11-13	I Sparta	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I L.D. Vaughan	I R.L. Doughton
7.1903, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I T.R. Windsor	I J.W. Burchett	I R.L. Doughton
8.1904, Sep. 8-10	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I E. Blevins	I W.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek	I J.F. Cheek



10. 1906, Sep. 7-9	I New Hope	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I E. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
11. 1907, Sep. 6-8	I Pine Fork	I E. Blevins	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
12. 1908, Sep. 10-12	I Pleasant G. (Va.)	I J.F. Fletcher	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher	I R.L. Doughton
13. 1909, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I R.L. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I R.L. Doughton
14. 1910, Sep. 9-11	I Laurel Springs	I W.L. Hoppers	I H.C. Edwards	I W.L. Hoppers	I R.L. Doughton
15. 1911, Sep. 8-10	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I D.S. Hubble	I R.L. Doughton
16. 1912, Sep. 6-8	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
17. 1913, Sep. 12-14	I Chestnut Grove	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Jno. E. Ray	I B.E. Reeves
18. 1914, Sep. 11-13	I Pine Fork	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I L.B. Murray	I B.E. Reeves
19. 1915, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I C.M. Cope	I G.T. Caudill
20. 1916, Sep. 8-10	I Mt. Carmel	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I G.M. Reeves	I W.F. Doughton
21. 1917, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I S.L. Blevins	I R.L. Doughton
22. 1918, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I B.E. Reeves	I J.F. Roberts	I W.A. Hash	I R.L. Doughton
23. 1919, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I Coy Blackburn	I R.L. Doughton
24. 1920, Sep. 10-12	I Chestnut Ridge	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Jones	I W.L. Hoppers	I John M. Cheek
25. 1921, Sep. 9-11	I Pine Fork	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I C.E. Maddy	I John M. Cheek
26. 1922, Sep. 8-10	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I A. Lamonds	I John M. Cheek
27. 1923, Sep. 7-9	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
28. 1924, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
29. 1925, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I John M. Cheek	I N.C. Teague	I N.C. Teague	I John M. Cheek
30. 1926, Sep. 10-12	I New Hope	I John M. Cheek	I W.B. Reeves	I W. Franklin	I John M. Cheek
31. 1927, Sep. 9-11	I Bellview	I W. Franklin	I W.F. Jones	I J.M. Page	I J.T. Fender
32. 1928, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I A. Hayes	I R.A. Wagoner
33. 1929, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I E. Whisenhunt	I R.A. Wagoner
34. 1930, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I J.L. Underwood	I M.E. Reeves
35. 1931, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I T.M. Hayes	I M.E. Reeves
36. 1932, Sep. 9-11	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood		

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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Ex. Comm.
37. 1933, Sep. 8-10	Belview	W.F. Doughton	J.T. Fender	C.H. McKnight	John M. Cheek
38. 1934, Sep. 7-9	Liberty	J.K. Blum	J.T. Fender	I.G.A. Martin	I.T.R. Burgess
39. 1935, Sep. 6-8	Mt. Carmel	J.K. Blum	J.T. Fender	I.S.L. Blevins	I.F.W. Royal
40. 1936, Sep. 12-14	Scottville	I.F.W. Royall	J.T. Fender	I.S.L. Naff	I.A.O. Joines
41. 1937, Sep. 10-12	Pine Fork	I.F.W. Royall	J.T. Fender	I.C.H. McKnight	I.A.O. Joines
42. 1938, Sep. 9-11	Sparta	I.A.O. Joines	Van Miller	I.H.J. Ford	John M. Cheek
43. 1939, Sep. 8-10	Chestnut Grove	I.A.O. Joines	Van Miller	I.J.M. Hayes	John M. Cheek
44. 1940, Sep. 6-8	Laurel Springs	I.A.O. Joines	Van Miller	I.S.L. Blevins	John M. Cheek
45. 1941, Sep. 12-14	New Hope	I.A.O. Joines	Van Miller	I.A.C. Ashley	John M. Cheek
46. 1942, Sep. 12-13	Belview	I.F.W. Royall	Van Miller	I.N.M. Greene	I.W.F. Doughton
47. 1943, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.W.T. Whittington	I.W.F. Doughton
48. 1944, Sep. 9-10	Mt. Carmel	John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.R.H. Satterfield	I.W.F. Doughton
49. 1945, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.E.B. Barton	I.W.F. Doughton
50. 1946, Sep. 7-8	Osborne Memorial	John M. Cheek	Van Miller	I.W.H. Caldwell	I.W.F. Doughton
51. 1947, Sep. 13-14	Scottville	Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.C. Gwaltney	I.W.F. Doughton
52. 1948, Sep. 11-12	Pine Fork	Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.S.L. Blevins	I.W.F. Doughton
53. 1949, Sep. 10-11	Laurel Springs	Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.J.G. Goodman	I.W.F. Doughton
54. 1950, Sep. 9-10	New River	Van F. Miller	I.W.K. Sprinkle	I.F.G. Walker	I.W.F. Doughton
55. 1951, Sep. 8-9	New Hope	Van F. Miller	I.J.B. Reed	I.Fred Blevins	Van F. Miller
56. 1952, Sep. 13-14	Chestnut Grove	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.E.V. Bumgarner	I.W.F. Doughton
57. 1953, Sep. 12-13	Belview	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.H.J. Ford	I.W.F. Doughton
58. 1954, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.C.H. McKnight	I.A.O. Joines
59. 1955, Sep. 10-11	Mt. Carmel	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.R.R. Campbell	I.A.O. Joines
60. 1956, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.Audley Frazier	I.A.O. Joines

61. 1957, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I Van F. Miller	I George Shepherd	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
62. 1958, Sep. 7-8	I Scottville	I E.C. Minnich	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Earnest Upchurch	I A.O. Joines
63. 1959, Sep. 11-12	I Pine Fork	I Jack W. Byrd	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
64. 1960, Sep. 9-10	I Laurel Springs	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I Guy W. Cain	I Van F. Miller
65. 1961, Sep. 8-9	I New River	I Van F. Miller	I Mrs. A.E. Sells	I A.E. Sells	I Rev. Jack Byrd
66. 1962, Sep. 7-8	I New Hope	I Van Miller	I Donna Jones	I Cleo Whitney	I Jack W. Byrd
67. 1963, Sep. 6-7	I Chestnut Grove	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Bobby Elledge	I Ben Reeves
68. 1964, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Van F. Miller	I Donna Jones	I Jack W. Byrd	I Ben Reeves
69. 1965, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Lewis Williams	I Donna Jones	I James Durham	I Van F. Miller
70. 1966, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bobby Elledge	I Donna Jones	I Jack Richardson	I Van F. Miller
71. 1967, Sep. 9-10	I Osborne Memorial	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Everett Shaw	I J.K. Blum
72. 1968, Sep. 6-7	I Scottville	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I Austol Youmans	I J.K. Blum
73. 1969, Sep. 12-13	I Pine Fork	I J.K. Blum	I Donna Jones	I J.T. Pardue	I J.K. Blum
74. 1970, Sep. 11-12	I Laurel Springs	I J.K. Blum	I Irene R. Wagner	I Bobby Elledge	I J.K. Blum
75. 1971, Sep. 10-11	I New River	I Claude Roupe	I Jimmy L. Warden	I Michael Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
76. 1972, Sep. 8-9	I Bellview	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
77. 1973, Sep. 7-8	I Chestnut Grove	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Claude Roupe
78. 1974, Sep. 6-7	I New Hope	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I William Poole	I Claude Roupe
79. 1975, Sep. 12-13	I Sparta	I Claude Roupe	I Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I James Lambert	I Claude Roupe
80. 1976, Sep. 10-11	I Mt. Carmel	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Jimmy Warden	I Micheal Sepaugh
81. 1977, Sep. 9-10	I Liberty	I Micheal Sepaugh	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Bill Ballou	I Micheal Sepaugh
82. 1978, Sep. 8-9	I Osborne Memorial	I Mac Warren	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Dwight Leftwich	I Mac Warren
83. 1979, Sep. 7-8	I Pine Fork	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
84. 1980, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Gene Webb	I Thomas Neville
85. 1981, Sep. 11-12	I New Hope	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
86. 1982, Sep. 10-11	I Bellview	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I Dr. Howard J. Ford	I Glenn Graves

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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex
87. 1983, Sep. 9-10	Sparta	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Dr. Tom Graves	Glenn Graves
88. 1984, Sep. 7-8	Mount Carmel	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Jim Lambert	Glenn Graves
89. 1985, Sep. 13-14	Osborne Memorial	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Dr. Roy J. Smith	Glenn Graves
90. 1986, Sep. 12-13	Liberty	Glenn Graves	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Glenn Graves
91. 1987, Sep. 11-12	Chestnut Grove	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Tom Lolley	Bob Richardson
92. 1988, Sep. 10-11	Pine Fork	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Bill Ballou	Bob Richardson
93. 1989, Sep. 8-9	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Bobby Elledge	Bob Richardson
94. 1990, Sep. 14-15	New Hope	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Larry Atwood	Bob Richardson
95. 1991, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Johnny Huffman	Bob Richardson
96. 1992, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Jack Byrd	Bob Richardson
97. 1993, Sep. 10-11	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson	David Finney	Rev. Jimmy Warden	Bob Richardson
98. 1994, Sep. 9-10	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
99. 1995, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Karen Sealey	Rev. Bill Yates	Bob Richardson
100. 1996, Sep. 13-14	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Barbara Richardson	Rev. Dean Adams	Bob Richardson
101. 1997, Sep. 12-13	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson		Rev. Dana Hines	Bob Richardson
102. 1998, Sep. 11-12	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson		Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
103. 1999, Sep. 10-11	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson
104. 2000, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Ralph Smith	Bob Richardson
105. 2001, Sep. 7-8	Bellview	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Billy Felts	Bob Richardson
106. 2002, Sep. 6-7	Laurel Springs	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Dana Hines	Bob Richardson
107. 2003, Sep. 5-6	Osborne Memorial	Bob Richardson	Mrs. F. A. Wagner	Rev. Russell Mabe	Bob Richardson
108. 2004, Sep. 10-11	Mount Carmel	Bob Richardson	Joyce Farley	Rev. Everette Shaw	Bob Richardson
109. 2005, Sep. 9-10	Liberty	Bob Richardson	Joyce Farley	Rev. Ralph Smith	Bob Richardson
110. 2006, Sep. 8-9	Sparta	Larry Powers	Joyce Farley	Rev. John McCray	Larry Powers
111. 2007, Sep. 7-8	Bellview	Larry Powers	Joyce Farley	Rev. Larry Powers	Larry Powers

Table A - MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION Director of Missions: Ross Wagner 5839 Pine Swamp Road Sparta NC 28675		Year Organ- ized	Year Pastor Came	AM Worship Service Average	Baptisms Total	Other Additions	Total Member- ship	Resident Member- ship
Church	Pastor							
Bellview	Rev. Larry Powers 124 Dillard Drive Jefferson NC 28640	1896	2004					
Laurel Springs	Rev. Dana Hines 284 Montieth Acres Rd Hays NC 28635	1891	1993	50	3	2	79	48
Liberty	Rev. Ralph Smith 376 Claybank Road West Jefferson NC 28694	1886	1972		0	1	80	69
Mount Carmel	Rev. Everette Shaw 783 Shawtown Road Glade Valley NC 28627	1884	1952	32	3		187	170
Osborne Memorial	Rev. Allen Huffman 415 Ashe Central Sch Rd Jefferson NC 28640	1943	2005	62	0	16	100	75
Sparta First	Rev. John McCray P O Box 668 Sparta NC 28675	1884	2003					







<b>Table C – DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING</b>	<b>Total Ongoing D. T.</b>	<b>Table D MUSIC MINISTRY</b>	<b>Total Music Enroll ment</b>	<b>Table E WMU</b>	<b>WMU Total</b>	<b>Ages 18 &amp; Over</b>	<b>WMU Leadership Team</b>	<b>Missions Projects Participants</b>
<b>Church</b>								
<b>Bellview</b>		<b>Bellview</b>		<b>Bellview</b>				
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***"The North Carolina Baptist Way  
Living the Faith — Being the Church"***

**One Hundred and Twelfth Annual Session**

**Held With**

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**September 5 and 6, 2008**

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**September 11 and 12, 2009**



**Preacher:**

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**ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION  
THE ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH  
ANNUAL SESSION  
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ASHE ASSOCIATION)  
SEPTEMBER 5 AND 6, 2008**

**BECAUSE YOU CARE**

**FRIDAY EVENING:**

**7:15 Musical Prelude**

**Sandy Hamm**

**7:30 Hymn # 55 *I Will Sing the Wondrous Story***

**Welcome**

**Rev. Dana Hines**

**Opening Prayer**

**Rev. Ralph Smith**

**Roll Call and**

**Seating of Messengers: Rev. Larry Powers**

**Bellview      Laurel Springs      Liberty**

**Mount Carmel      Osborne Memorial**

**Sparta First**

**Recognition of Guests**

**Rev. Larry Powers**

**7:45 Special Music**

**First Baptist**

**8:00 Hymn # 66**

***There Is a Name***

**8:05 Historian Report**

**Mary Rector**

**8:10 Special Music**

**Liberty**

**8:25 Director of Missions**

**Report**

**Ross Wagner**

**ASU BSU**

**Jonathan Yarborough**

**8:40 Hymn # 254 *Leaning On the Everlasting Arms***

**8:45 Special Music**

**Laurel Springs**

**9:00 Sermon**

**Rev. Dana Hines**

**Closing Hymn of Fellowship # 256 *Blest Be the Tie***

**Benediction**

**Rev. Everette Shaw**

# **SATURDAY MORNING:**

<b>8:50</b>	<b>Musical Prelude</b>	<b>Sandy Hamm</b>
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Opening Prayer</b>	<b>Rev. John McCray</b>
<b>9:05</b>	<b>Hymn # 404</b>	<i><b>Tell It to Jesus</b></i>
<b>9:10</b>	<b>Welcome and</b>	
	<b>Recognition of Guests</b>	<b>Rev. Dana Hines</b>
<b>9:15</b>	<b>Special Music</b>	
<b>9:30</b>	<b>Reports:</b>	
	<b>Hispanic Ministry</b>	<b>Rev. John McCray</b>
	<b>Executive Board</b>	
<b>9:45</b>	<b>Hymn # 337</b>	<i><b>The Solid Rock</b></i>
<b>9:50</b>	<b>Reports:</b>	
	<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Patsy Jarrett</b>
	<b>Finance (Budget)</b>	<b>Patsy Jarrett</b>
	<b>Youth</b>	<b>Wanda Cleary</b>
	<b>Other Business</b>	
<b>10:15</b>	<b>Hymn # 437</b>	<i><b>Tell Me the Story</b></i>
<b>10:20</b>	<b>Special Music</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>10:35</b>	<b>Nominating Committee</b>	<b>Steven Joines</b>
	<b>Baptist State Convention</b>	<b>Rev. Ken Tan</b>
<b>10:45</b>	<b>Hymn # 473</b>	<i><b>Take the Name Of Jesus With You</b></i>
<b>10:50</b>	<b>Memorial Service</b>	<b>Wanda Cleary</b>
<b>11:00</b>	<b>Special Music</b>	
<b>11:15</b>	<b>Sermon</b>	<b>Rev. Ken Tan</b>
	<b>Multi-Cultural Leadership Team Leader</b>	
	<b>Baptist State Convention of North Carolina</b>	
	<b>Benediction &amp; Blessing</b>	<b>Rev. Allen Huffman</b>

**Lunch**

## Nominating Committee Report

### Officers 2008-2009

<b>Moderator</b>	<b>Larry Powers, Bellview</b>
<b>Vice-Moderator</b>	<b>Dana Hines, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Clerk</b>	<b>Joyce Farley, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Patsy Jarrett, Sparta First</b>
<b>Assistant Clerk/Treasurer</b>	<b>Irene Wagner, Liberty</b>
<b>Auditor</b>	<b>Judith Sands, Bellview</b>
<b>Historian</b>	<b>Mary Rector, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Pianist</b>	<b>Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Assistant Pianist</b>	
<b>Music Director</b>	<b>Buster Story, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Assistant Music Director</b>	<b>Josh Howard, Sparta First</b>
<b>Youth Director</b>	<b>Wanda Cleary, Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Assistant Youth Director</b>	<b>Paul Braxton, Sparta First</b>
<b>VBS Director</b>	<b>Ross Wagner, Liberty</b>

### Nominating Committee

<b>Steven Joines, Chairman</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Wilma Foster</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Jimmy Gillespie</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Roger Pugh</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
	<b>First Baptist Sparta</b>

### Finance Committee

<b>Patsy Jarrett, Chairman</b>	<b>Sparta First</b>
<b>Brad Mabe</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Joann Hoppers</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Jan Shaw</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Reba Osborne</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Shelia Taylor</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Lorraine Brooks</b>	<b>Sparta First</b>

**Music Committee**

<b>Director</b>	<b>Buster Story, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Assistant Director</b>	<b>Josh Howard, Sparta First</b>
<b>Pianist</b>	<b>Wilma Foster, Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Assistant Pianist</b>	

**Youth & Baptist Children's Home Committee**

<b>Wanda Cleary, Director</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Paul Braxton, Assistant Director</b>	<b>Sparta First</b>
<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Amanda Blevins</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Gay Scott</b>	<b>Bellview</b>

**Missions Development Committee**

<b>Irene Wagner</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Allean Amburn</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Joyce Farley</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Marlene Caudill</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Wanda Cleary</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Susie Miller</b>	<b>First Baptist Sparta</b>

**Credentials Committee:**

<b>Steven Joines</b>	<b>Bellview</b>
<b>Everett Elliott</b>	<b>Laurel Springs</b>
<b>Dewey Hoppers</b>	<b>Liberty</b>
<b>Jay Shaw</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>Wayne Cleary</b>	<b>Osborne Memorial</b>
<b>Gerald Leftwich</b>	<b>First Baptist Sparta</b>

**ORDINATION COMMITTEE:**

<b>Rev. Everette Shaw, Chairman</b>	<b>Mount Carmel</b>
<b>All Other Pastors in the Association</b>	

## ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 112<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SESSION

### MINUTES

**FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5, 2008**

The Friday session of the Alleghany Baptist Association convened at 7:15 PM with a musical prelude by Sandy Hamm.

The opening hymn by the congregation was "*I Will Sing The Wondrous Story*." Rev. Dana Hines gave the welcome, and Rev. Ralph Smith gave the opening prayer.

Rev. Larry Powers gave the roll call and asked for the seating of the messengers.

Rev. Larry Powers recognized our guest from ASU Baptist Student Union, Jonathan Yaraborough. He told us about some of the projects of the Student Union.

Special music was presented by Sparta First Baptist Church.

The congregation sang "*There Is A Name*." The Historian Report was submitted by Mary Rector.

Special music was presented by Liberty Baptist Church.

The Director of Missions Report was submitted by Ross Wagner.

The congregation sang "*Leaning On The Everlasting Arms*." Special music was presented by Laurel Springs Baptist Choir.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. Dana Hines. The congregation sang the closing hymn "*Blest Be The Tie*, and the meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. Everette Shaw.

**SATRUDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 6, 2008**

At 8:50 AM a musical prelude was performed by Sandy Hamm. At 9 AM Ross Wagner gave the opening prayer.

The congregation sang *"Tell It To Jesus."* Rev. Dana Hines gave the welcome and read Psalm 113.

Special music was presented by Marvin and Betty Shaw.

The Hispanic Report was submitted by Rev. John McCray. It was accepted on a motion by Irene Wagner and a second by Daphne Tripp.

The Executive Board Report was submitted. Bellview Baptist Church received the Top Ministry Award. Laurel Springs Baptist Church received the Top Lottie Moon Giving Award. The report was passed on a motion by Rev. Larry Powers and a second by Bruce Wood.

The congregation sang *"The Solid Rock."*

The Treasurer's Report was submitted by Patsy Jarrett and passed on a motion by Dewey Hoppers and a second by Buster Story.

The budget for 2008-2009 was submitted by Patsy Jarrett. It passed on a motion by Rev. Larry Powers and a second by Daphne Tripp.

The Youth Committee Report was submitted by Wanda Cleary. It passed on a motion by Rev. John McCray and a second by Everette Elliott.

The congregation sang *"Tell Me The Story."*

Special music was presented by Marvin and Betty Shaw.



**SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 6, 2008**

**The Nominating Committee Report was submitted by Steven Joines. It passed on a motion by Irene Wagner and a second by John McCray.**

**Rev. Ken Tan gave us a report from the Baptist State Convention.**

**The congregation sang *"Take The Name Of Jesus With You."***

**The Memorial Service was presented by Wanda Cleary.**

**The sermon was delivered by Rev. Ken Tan, Multi-Cultural Leadership Team Leader from the Baptist State Convention.**

**Rev. Allen Huffman gave the benediction and the blessing.**

### **EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT**

**We appreciate the dedication of Executive Board members and the pastors of each church who form the Executive Board. The Executive Board met for its four scheduled meetings. Our Executive Board has had a good spirit of cooperation and unity among our churches.**

**Let us continue to pray and seek God's leadership and direction for our association in the upcoming year. We can work together as churches seeking to carry out the work God has for us to do.**

## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY**

**On July 24, 1891 Laurel Springs Baptist Church was organized by Revs. J.D. Harris and Frank B. Cheek.**

**Thirty pastors have served to date, including current pastor, Rev. Dana Hines, who accepted pastorate position January 1993. Twenty-four deacons have served including Stacy Davis, Dan Taylor, Everett Elliott, and Ken Kern, who were ordained after 1991. We have been saddened by the loss of two deacons by death, Elizabeth Moxley 1999 and Robert Myers 2002, who were both ordained in 1981 and served faithfully.**

**An addition to the church was dedicated to the service of our Lord on May 16, 1999. This included a large fellowship hall with kitchen facilities and four Sunday School rooms. We celebrated with thankfulness the Lord's blessings with a note-burning service on August 27, 2000 and declared the new addition, furnishings, and improvements to the original church building debt-free.**

**Outside improvements consisted of a new entrance door with handicap ramp, improved landscaping, vinyl siding on the steeple and eaves, lattice wall around entrance to outside furnace room steps, replaced double doors at outside entrance to the sanctuary, as well as the digging of a new well.**

**Improvements to the sanctuary included extending the rostrum to make a choir loft and removing a vertical support column to give more seating space and clearer view of the pulpit area. Chairs for the areas at the side and the back of the sanctuary were donated by members of the church as memorials to loved ones and brass plaques were placed on each**

chair. A loaning library with books, pamphlets, and videos has been established. A sound system, central air conditioning, and new piano were also added.

Vacation Bible School has continued annually since being re-established in 1996 sharing the love of God with children and adults.

Laurel Springs Baptist Church continues annual support through money and prayers to four missionaries:

Mary Carr, Graffitti, New York, New York;  
Sharon and David Sexton, Lander, Wyoming;  
Laura and Lance Ostman, Philippines;  
Ruth and Howell Williams, Papua New Guinea.

They also support Foreign, Home, and State Missions through special offerings to the Baptist State Convention.

Women's Missionary Union was re-established in March 2000 after 46 years of inactivity. It was originally organized in June 30, 1930 and met until 1954. They now meet monthly with attendance from 12 to 21. They are carrying on a true mission-minded program serving the church family, the community, state and foreign missions. Regular projects include furnishing food to families in times of illness and bereavement, as well as providing other needs when they arise. The WMU is grateful to all the women of the church who willingly participate in these mission projects even though they cannot attend the regular meetings.

Revivals are held in the spring and fall, as well as participation in the Annual Associational Revival. They have continued the tradition of joint fellowship services with Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church at Christmas and on Easter Sunday. Laurel Springs Baptist Church has a joint New Year's Eve Service with Liberty and Osborne Memorial, inviting all churches to participate.

The Sunday School continues to grow and is enjoying the new classrooms.

A scholarship is given each year to church members on their high school graduation. The following have received scholarships: Kelly Myers, Stephen Hines, Katie Myers, Micha Tucker, and Heather Hines.

The following is a continuation of Laurel Spring Baptist Church history printed in the 2002 associational minutes.

The Church continues to serve the Lord through love and missions guided by Pastor Dana Hines who has served faithfully since 1993.

We were saddened in 2005 by the death of Madge Shepherd, a faithful member since 1921 and a deacon since 1993. We were blessed with the ordination of Jim Pendergraph, the only new deacon since 2002.

Laurel Springs Baptist Church continues annual support through money and prayers to missionaries: Uplands Reach, Ebenezer Children's Home, Rock of Ages, Solid Rock Food Closet, Gideons, Jack Cross, and special offerings for Foreign, Home and State Missions through the Baptist State Convention.

The Church participates in the annual Associational Revival, but no longer has fall and spring revivals or joint services with Laurel Fork Presbyterian Church or joint New Year's Eve Services with Liberty

and Osborne Memorial.

A scholarship is given each year to church members on their high school graduation. The following have received scholarships since 2002: Alisha Story, Courtney Hall, Rachel Hall, Parker Taylor, and Josh Story.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Rector, Historian

### ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH & BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME COMMITTEE 2007-2008

The committee met a good number of times. We provided shoes to needy students at Piney Creek School.

Youth from several churches took part in a pizza meal and in special singing during youth night of the associational revival on Sunday night at Mt. Carmel. The opportunity exists for youth and adults from each church to be a part of a mission trip to West Virginia.

The association provided pizza and bowling for youth and adults. We believe that had 70 or so to participate. Drinks and dessert was provided.

We discussed doing an association-wide play, *"I Dreamed I Searched Heaven for You."*

Our churches were blessed to have many ways to help the Baptist Children's Homes. The Food RoundUp and the cookout at Mills Home were association-wide efforts.

The Associational Youth Live Nativity was not held due to the extreme weather.

We gave away 49 King James New Testaments, 16 Spanish New Testaments, and 114 treat bags at the

## **Angel Tree Christmas Give-Away at the Higgins Center.**

The July associational youth activity was a picnic for staff and children at the Baptist Children's Home at Thomasville. Our group delivered school supplies, food, flip flops, and extra soda pop. Due to a wedding, a funeral, and other things, our group was made up of four folks from two churches. The picnic went well. The staff and children were grateful for this event. We have gotten a lot of thank you notes. We hope that the 2009 cookout will be here, instead of Thomasville.

The Associational Youth sponsored a number of activities:

<b>October 21, 2007</b>	<b>Pizza and Youth Night at the associational revival</b>
<b>December 8, 2007</b>	<b>Decorated treat bags and New Testaments were given to children at Cora's Charities' Angel Tree Give-Away</b>
<b>December 2007</b>	<b>The Live Nativity Down Main Street and at Trojan Village was not held due to the weather.</b>
<b>March 9, 2008</b>	<b>Bowling and Pizza Party</b>
<b>July 26, 2008</b>	<b>Baptist Children's Home Picnic at Thomasville</b>
	<b>Respectfully submitted, Wanda Cleary</b>



**BELLVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
2007-2008**

**We would like to give thanks for the many blessings the Lord has given us this past year. We are most thankful for our close knit and loving church family, with our belief in serving God and our community.**

**The major improvement made to our church this year is the paving of our parking lot.**

**Mission activities including, "Share-A-Meal" (preparation and delivery of meals to sick or shut-in members of the community); Christmas for needy families; Rock of Ages Prison Ministry; Annie Armstrong; The Cooperative Program; Lottie Moon; North Carolina Missions; Baptist Children's Home; Baptist Hospital and the local 4-H Club continue. Special needs are taken care of as they arise.**

**Established traditions such as secret pal; Mother's and Father's day luncheons, Christmas Caroling with distribution of fruit baskets; a Christmas play, skits and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday services were presented by our Youth; a sunrise service followed by a fellowship breakfast; church picnics at the river and our annual Homecoming service with luncheon served, continue to be observed by the congregation.**

**The Lord has blessed our church in the past year and for this we give him all our thanks and praise. We also ask for everyone's prayers for our church to continue to grow, do God's work and seek his face in all that we do in the upcoming year.**

**BUDGET (FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT)**  
**2008-2009 Budget**

<b>Budget Item</b>	<b>2007-2008 Budget</b>	<b>2008-2009 Budget</b>
Salary	6000.00	6000.00
Social	459.00	459.00
Security		
Travel	320.00	320.00
Telephone	400.00	0
Youth	850.00	850.00
Printing	300.00	240.00
Minutes		
Missions	400.00	200.00
Hispanic	1200.00	1200.00
Missions		
Operating		
Expense	<u>440.00</u>	<u>440.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,369.00</b>	<b>9,709.00</b>

**DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS**

We may touch other nations by helping with the Hispanic ministry in Alleghany County. There may come a time when our association reaches out to international students at A. S. U.

Our churches have the opportunity to help churches in West Virginia. Dennis Cherry from Summerville spoke at our annual meeting. We could do VBS, give children's shoes to a W. V. ministry to the poor, and do other things. Our churches are loving God and loving our neighbors.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Ross Wagner

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SPARTA

September 2007 – August 2008

The Senior Adults have been very active this past year with once a month outings to different restaurants for lunch or dinner. The group made a trip in May to the Billy Graham library.

AWANA continues to grow and prosper. They had a Bible Character Ball in October, 2007. They also began a new program for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade boys called Project Joseph. They visited a local dairy farm and had many other activities to participate in.

WMU helped organize and raise money for Lottie Moon & Annie Armstrong. They also organized the Angel Tree that provided Christmas gifts for 33 children in our county and 50 shoeboxes were collected for Operation Christmas Child.

Women's ministries began delivering baskets to folks that lived in the area that visited our church. They also worked through several bible studies during the year. 7 women went to the Beth Moore Conference in Jacksonville, FL in March and also attended the simulcast of another Beth Moore Conference in Dobson, NC in August.

Team Impact visited our area in October, 2007 and spoke with the children in our schools.

Youth are active as always. They went to several concerts, attended Acquire the Fire, and went on a mission trip to do a Vacation Bible School in Pennsylvania.

The Community Singing Christmas Tree was held the first weekend in December and performed to a full capacity crowd each night.

**April 19 – Operation INASMUCH was introduced to our community with the needs of many being taken care of in one day.**

**We had Revival on April 20 –23. Dr. Robert Put was our guest speaker and with special performances by the Birdsong Family.**

**Vacation Bible School took place on June 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> on Outrigger Island.**

**We have formed a New Building Committee to investigate the possibility of a Family Life Center.**

## **HISPANIC MISSION REPORT**

**August 2008**

**La Mision Bautista Hispana, Sparta, NC**

**The Hispanic Mission in agreement with First Baptist Church has placed Santiago Reales on a sabbatical until January 2009. This is to give Santiago time to reassess his position here and to give him time to be with his family. During this time should the mission find someone they want on a regular basis to replace Santiago it is permissible without hard feelings from Santiago.**

**Currently we have put the word out that we are looking for someone to lead worship service and Bible study at the mission. We have an add placed on the bulletin board at a Bible college and have by word of mouth sought to find someone. The mission task force has been looking at different options including the possibility of bringing one their brothers, a pastor, from Mexico.**

**We have joined in a partnership temporarily with the Yadkin Baptist Association to provide someone to fill the pulpit until we find someone more**

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

BELLVIEW                      None

LAUREL SPRINGS

Carolyn Myers  
Mr. Paul Foster

LIBERTY                      None

MOUNT CARMEL

Mrs. Barbara Cundiff  
Mr. Dick McKnight

OSBORNE MEMORIAL

Mr. Jesse Mack (Bill) Osborne  
Mrs. Evelyn Parlier  
Mrs. Wanda Young Bledsoe  
Beatrice Dixon

SPARTA FIRST

Mr. Roger Cunningham  
Louise Haga  
Mr. Willborn Goodman  
Mr. Odell Crouse



**Mr. Dick McKnight**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Mrs. Barbara Cundiff**  
**Mount Carmel**



**Beatrice Dixon**  
**Osborne Memorial**



**Mr. Jesse Mack (Bill) Osborne**  
**Osborne Memorial**



**Mr. Odell Crouse**  
**Sparta First**

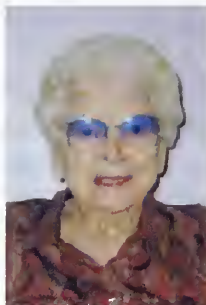


**Mr. Willborn Goodman**  
**Sparta First**

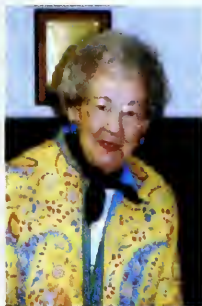




**Mr. Paul Foster**  
**Laurel Springs**



**Louise Haga**  
**Sparta First**



**Mrs. Evelyn Parlier**  
**Osborne Memorial**



**Mrs. Wanda Young Bledsoe**  
**Osborne Memorial**

**Mr. Roger Cunningham**  
**Sparta First**

**Carolyn Myers**  
**Laurel Springs**



Portrait of a woman  
1850-1855



Portrait of a man  
1850-1855



Portrait of a woman  
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permanently. Their Hispanic church, Iglesia Bautista Bethel, has been sending us someone to lead since June 2008. We have been paying them a pulpit salary and mileage.

Attendance has been averaging 15.

Respectfully submitted,  
John F. McCray, pastor  
First Baptist Church, Sparta, NC

### **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH 2007-2008**

We had a wonderfully blessed year. Our weekly prayer meeting and Bible study led by our pastor, Dana Hines, helps us to better understand the Word of the Lord. This enables us to better live by His Word and become better Christians.

Our 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday night gospel singings continue to be a blessing and a true time of fellowship. We are always happy to see members of the community that we would not see if not for the singings.

We welcome our summer visitors back again this year. They are really part of our church, and we miss them when they leave for the winter.

We had a beautiful Christmas play this year. They seem to get better every year, and they are truly a blessing to everyone that attends. We also gave out treat bags to everyone. It is always good to start your Christmas celebration at church. Our church, WMU, and individuals provided gifts for the Angel Tree program, too.

Our Vacation Bible School was a huge success this year. We would like to give a special thanks to Kenny and Amanda Blevins and everyone who helped

them this year. As usual, the ladies provided food and treats for everyone. We had an adult class taught by our pastor, and the adults enjoyed it.

We had visits from missionaries we support, and it is always good to hear of all the work they do for the Lord.

All of our committees that are serving this year deserve special thanks for all the work they do.

Two of our members went home to the Lord this year. They were Carolyn Myers and Paul Foster. Paul will be greatly missed by everyone. He was always there to do whatever was needed. He was there to greet everyone entering the church. He was a member of the Building and Grounds Committee, where he could always be depended on to help with any need. One of the last things he did was make letters for our church sign. He will not be forgotten.

We are grateful to God for the members of our church family. We are truly blessed and praise God for all the wonderful fellowship.

## **LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH WMU**

The Laurel Springs WMU is an active mission group for Christ with monthly meetings of fellowship, planning, and mission study.

There are continuing projects year to year including Lottie Moon, Mother's Day Baptist Hospital, and Annie Armstrong offerings. Special offerings and monetary gifts to the families of our Church Supported Missionaries, food supplies to families in need, supplies for the Solid Rock Food Bank in Alleghany, food and/or meals for families at the time of death, and support to the Baptist Children's Home.

The ladies of the WMU with assistance from all the ladies of the church prepare the snacks for fellowship time following the Gospel Singings and many meals during the year.

It is our hope and prayer that the WMU will continue to praise the Lord through everyday service to others.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wilma Foster

## 2007-2008 REVIEW OF YOUTH ACTIVITIES FOR LAUREL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH YOUTH

Through the grace and glory of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, the Laurel Springs youth have been a blessing and inspiration to our congregation. They are an eager and energetic group of individuals. In October we started practice for our annual Christmas play titled *"The Christmas Angel."* It showed us how God's love can bring us all together. After several weeks of hard work and dedication, they performed a play that truly touched all those in attendance.

In April, we began preparation for our vacation bible school. The excitement level for the youth and entire church was unbelievable. We had an average attendance of 65 people each night. The theme was *"A Father's Love."* The WMU provided a light supper each evening. Our teachers provided great study, crafts and fellowship for each of their classes. On Friday night we had special singing by a group called SonRise. All those in attendance joined in the songs of praise and worship. On Saturday each class told what they learned and showed their crafts. We finished the day with a barbecued lunch and a waterslide.

On July 28 our youth traveled to Carowinds for a day of fun and fellowship. Several attended and had a wonderful day and had a great time telling everyone of all the events when they arrived home.

On August 1 we had our first lock-in. We had 31 to attend, 18 of those being youth. We began the night with a bible study. The children then made their own homemade pizzas, played basketball, and watched *Facing The Giants*, which was a very inspirational movie. The next morning we ended the lock-in with a light breakfast. Our youth numbers are growing and we are so proud of the role they are taking in our church.

Respectfully submitted by:  
Amanda L. Blevins

## LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH 2007-2008 Highlights

We replaced the front and back doors. We added a handicap ramp and new steps to the front door. The switch box and basement lights were replaced. Rugs were brought for the front and back doors.

Paul and Sue Wagoner donated a keyboard to the church. Rev. Ralph Smith was given a plaque in appreciation of his 35 years as pastor.

The church participated in the Associational Revival in October. The church had Vacation Bible school and other special programs. The youth presented a Christmas play.



## **MOUNT CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH 2007-2008**

**During church services this past year church members heard Sunday School instructors and Pastor Everette Shaw's powerful messages of God's love for us, Jesus' healing powers and the call to be covered by his blood. Church members responded with personal testimonies of the healing power of Jesus, many knelt at the altar in profession, and accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior. Anita Thomas, daughter-in-law of Herb Thomas was anointed with oil on Sunday prior to her back surgery. In November, Joan Bell, Wilma Finey's daughter knelt at the altar and made a profession. Justin Crouse, grandson of Dorothy Crouse knelt at the altar on July 27<sup>th</sup> and accepted Jesus. Dick Lyon stood at the altar on August 10<sup>th</sup> and made his profession of Jesus. The Worship Service was concluded with praise and singing as we gave him the right hand of welcome. Both Dick and Justin were baptized on August 17<sup>th</sup> and given the right hand of fellowship the next Sunday.**

**Barbara Cundiff a church member with cancer wrote us a letter in September giving her personal testimony of faith and belief that "God works miracles in our lives every day!" Her closing words to us were, "I only ask that he hold me close for his purpose only and his glory." Her closing message seems to stay with us as many church members have undergone surgeries, cancer diagnosis and time of hardship in their lives. After the February 3rd worship service, the entire congregation came forth with personal testimonies and examples of the power of God in their lives. As Barbara**

prayed, we ask that Jesus hold us close for his purpose and glory.

\* In October, the WMU and church youth joined to celebrate Pastor Appreciation for Pastor Shaw. A huge poster with hand-signed personal messages was put in the Fellowship Hall as everyone participated in the fellowship dinner and celebration.

\* On October 21<sup>st</sup>, Alleghany Baptist Association Revival (Youth Night) was held at Mt. Carmel. Youth groups for member churches performed and touched the hearts of all who attended the revival.

\* The Mt. Carmel Fall Revival with Pastor Donald Ball began November 4<sup>th</sup>. Singers were Jay Shaw, Harvest Time, New Hope Church Choir and Betty & Marvin Shaw.

\* In November, the youth performed a Thanksgiving Celebration (a Jewish Succot) which followed the Jewish tradition of giving thanks at harvest time to our thanksgiving for salvation today. Refreshments were enjoyed by all in the fellowship hall following the ceremony.

\* The youth Christmas play performed was, *Give Us Back That Night!* One by one the stable with Jesus, Mary, Joseph, the shepherds and animals emptied as unbelievers told the audience the story of Jesus was "unbelievable." When left with the darkness of an empty stable with no belief in God the cold empty world with out faith in Jesus was a powerful message to the congregation. The "unbelievers" could not endure a world without God and the play ended Jesus, Mary & Joseph in the stable, the shepherds and animals returning. The program ended with youth singing "*Go Tell it on the Mountain.*"

- \* Mt. Carmel prepared 27 shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse.
- \* Easter Sunrise service was followed by a fellowship breakfast and Sunday School Services where youth participated in the annual Easter egg hunt. Special singing was provided by Jay Shaw.
- \* For Mother's Day and Father's Day, the youth read special poems and presented the parents of the congregation with special gifts and cards.
- \* Mt. Carmel's Spring Revival with Pastor Donald Ball began March 23<sup>rd</sup>, Easter Sunday night through Friday March 28<sup>th</sup>. His powerful messages touched the hearts of all and services ended with personal testimonies and a renewed spirit for all.
- \* Adult Bible Study is held the 2nd Sunday of the month studying the Bible and John Haggee Revelation videos.
- \* Communion and Foot Washing ceremony was held August 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- \* Paper products, laundry soap and cleaning supplies for the Baptist Children's Home in Thomasville are continually dropped off at the church. We have collected almost a mile of the "Mile of Penny" challenge for the Children's home.

In sorrow, we pray for the family of church members who have passed away this year: Barbara Cundiff, daughter of Nellie Ketterling passed away in February, 2008. We also, grieve and pray for the Carol McKnight family with the passing of her husband Dick.

**MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**Glade Valley, NC 28627**  
**September 2007 to August 2008**

## **MOUNT CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH WMU 2007-2008**

**The Mt. Carmel WMU has been blessed this past year in many ways. We meet once a month for Bible study, fellowship, and for planning projects. We participated in the Mtn. Heritage Festival in September. We offered for sale our homemade kraut, homemade spaghetti sauce, canned vegetables, relishes, jellies, and numerous baked goods. We use these funds for many projects during the year and to assist people in our community.**

**We honored our Pastor Everette Shaw on Pastor Appreciation Day in October with a lunch and gifts.**

**The WMU sponsors a collection of canned foods and items each month for the solid Rock Food Closet. Twenty shoeboxes were prepared at our November meeting for the Samaritan's Purse in Boone. In December we purchased and wrapped gifts for all children who attended the Christmas play. The WMU sponsored a family for Christmas who otherwise would not have received gifts otherwise.**

**We have assisted many families during the year with medical bills, gas money to go to medical appointments, money to bereaved families, and assisted with funeral expenses. A crib and mattress was purchased for a new baby girl in the church family. A large trashcan was filled with paper products and kitchen supplies for a newlywed couple. Numerous cards have been sent for sickness, bereavement, and inspiration.**

**An Easter breakfast was held after Easter Sunrise Service in March. We also sponsored a lunch for Fifth Sunday for visiting singers.**

**In May we honored our mothers with potted geraniums for Mother's Day. In June, our fathers received tire gauges for Father's Day.**

**Officers for the new year: Lisa Miles-Director, Ruth Ellen Wood-Assistant Director, Brenda Blevins-Secretary, Freida Cockerham-Treasurer**

**Submitted by  
Brenda Blevins, Secretary**

## **OSBORNE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**

**The following improvements were made to the church:**

**Finished paving additional parking lot  
3 new basement windows were donated  
Made improvements and added roof to  
storage building**

**The Church made contributions to the following:**

**Team Impact  
Shriner's organization  
Ebenezer's Children's Home  
Baptist Children's Home  
Upland's Reach  
Alleghany Pregnancy Center  
American Red Cross  
Relay for Life  
Solid Rock Food Closet  
Various Other Missions Projects**

**Church Involvement:**

**Held Vacation Bible School  
Associational and Church Revival**

**Relay for Life  
 Pastor Appreciation Dinner  
 Group went to Judgment House in Boone  
 Christmas Play**

**Alleghany Baptist Association  
 Annual Meeting  
 Treasurer's Report – 09/01/07 – 08/31/08**

**Actual BEGINNING BAL. on 09/01/07                      \$ 1,767.45**

**RECEIPTS                      (09/01/07 – 08/31/08)**

**Bellview                                      \$        1,333.78**

**First Baptist-Sparta                      \$        2,164.00**

**Laurel Springs                              \$        1,500.00**

**Liberty                                        \$        1,200.00**

**Mount Carmel                              \$        600.00**

**Osborne Memorial                      \$        1,200.00**

**Baptist State Convention                \$        23.86**

**Skyline Telephone                      \$        17.01**  
**(Capital Credit)                              \_\_\_\_\_**

**TOTAL RECEIPTS                      \$        8,036.65**

**GRAND TOTAL AVAIABLE                                      \$ 9,806.10**



**EXPENDITURES** (9/1/07-8/31/08)

Salary – Director of Missions	\$ 5,541.00
US Treasury (SS Tax-pd. '07)	\$ 918.00
Travel (DOM mtg. at Caraway)	\$ 80.00
Telephone	\$ 383.98
Youth Events	\$ 321.42
Printing of Minutes	\$ 270.50
Missions (Angel Tree Bibles, BREMCO)	\$ 233.70
Hispanic Ministry (First Baptist)	\$ 1,200.00
Operating Expense (PO Box rent, Safe Deposit Box, Printer Supplies)	\$ 162.50
<b><u>TOTAL EXPENDITUES</u></b>	<b>\$ 9,111.10</b>

**ACCOUNT BALANCE AS OF 8.31.08** **\$ 695.00**

**Less Reserve for 2008 SS Tax (2Qtrs.) \$ 459.00**

**True Acct. Balance as of 8/31/08 \$ 236.00**

**Submitted By: Patsy Jarrett, Treasurer**

# HISTORICAL TABLE OF ALLEGHANY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Ashe and Alleghany Baptist Association 1886-1897  
 Alleghany and Grayson Baptist Association 1897-1909  
 Alleghany Baptist Association 1909-

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TIME	I Church	I MODERATOR I CLERK	I PREACHER	I Chmn.Ex. Comm
1. 1886, Sep. 24-25	I Buffalo	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I G.W. Greene
2. 1887, Sep. 22-24	I New Hope	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I S.M. Collins
3. 1888, Sep. 6-8	I Apple Grove	I T.M. Honeycutt	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Honeycutt
4. 1889, Sep. 12-14	I Landmark	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I T.M. Duncan
5. 1890, Sep. 18-20	I Jefferson	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I J.F. Fletcher
6. 1891, Sep. 17-19	I Sparta	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I F.B. Cheek
7. 1892, Sep. 15-17	I Bethel	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I D.J. Harris
8. 1893, Sep. 14-16	I Apple Grove	I T.M. Duncan	I H.A. Eller	I W.H. Glenn
9. 1894, Sep. 13-15	I Healing Springs	I W.C. Fields	I H.A. Eller	I E. Tucker
10. 1895, Oct. 3-5	I Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I R.L. Shoaf	I T.M. Duncan
11. 1896, Oct. 1-3	I Brushy Fork	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E. Blevins
12. 1897, Sep. 28-30	I Forest Home	I J.H. Doughton	I H.A. Eller	I E.F. Tatum
1. 1897, Nov. 5	I Sparta	I J.H. Doughton	I J.M. Wagoner	I E. Tucker
2. 1898, Oct. 7-9	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I L.D. Vaughan	I J.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek
3. 1899, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I R.K. Johnson
4. 1900, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I James Shumate
5. 1901, Sep. 5-7	I Pine Fork	I W.C. Fields	I W.F. Doughton	I C.M. Rock
6. 1902, Sep. 11-13	I Sparta	I L.D. Vaughan	I W.F. Doughton	I L.D. Vaughan
7. 1903, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I J.H. Doughton	I T.R. Windsor	I J.W. Burchett
8. 1904, Sep. 8-10	I Brush Crk. (Va.)	I E. Blevins	I W.M. Wagoner	I F.B. Cheek
9. 1905, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I L.M. Holloway
10. 1906, Sep. 7-9	I New Hope	I E. Blevins	I J.F. Cheek	I E. Blevins
11. 1907, Sep. 6-8	I Pine Fork	I E. Blevins	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher
12. 1908, Sep. 10-12	I Pleasant G. (Va.)	I J.F. Fletcher	I H.C. Edwards	I J.F. Fletcher
13. 1909, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I R.L. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves
14. 1910, Sep. 9-11	I Laurel Springs	I W.L. Hoppers	I H.C. Edwards	I W.L. Hoppers
15. 1911, Sep. 8-10	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I H.C. Edwards	I D.S. Hubble

16.1912, Sep. 6-8	I Bellview	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Geo. M. Reeves	I B.E. Reeves
17.1913, Sep. 12-14	I Chestnut Grove	I B.E. Reeves	I H.C. Edwards	I Jno. E. Ray	I B.E. Reeves
18.1914, Sep. 11-13	I Pine Fork	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I L.B. Murray	I W.F. Doughton
19.1915, Sep. 10-12	I Liberty	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I C.M. Cope	I B.E. Reeves
20.1916, Sep. 8-10	I Mt. Carmel	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I G.M. Reeves	I G.T. Caudill
21.1917, Sep. 7-9	I Laurel Springs	I B.E. Reeves	I W.F. Jones	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Doughton
22.1918, Sep. 6-8	I New Hope	I B.E. Reeves	I J.F. Roberts	I W.A. Hash	I R.L. Doughton
23.1919, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I S.L. Blevins	I W.F. Jones	I Coy Blackburn	I R.L. Doughton
24.1920, Sep. 10-12	I Chestnut Ridge	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I W.L. Hoppers	I John M. Cheek
25.1921, Sep. 9-11	I Pine Fork	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I C.E. Maddy	I John M. Cheek
26.1922, Sep. 8-10	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I A. Lamonds	I John M. Cheek
27.1923, Sep. 7-9	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I K.M. Estep	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
28.1924, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I N.C. Teague	I H.L. Coffey	I John M. Cheek
29.1925, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I John M. Cheek	I W.B. Reeves	I N.C. Teague	I John M. Cheek
30.1926, Sep. 10-12	I New Hope	I John M. Cheek	I W.F. Jones	I W. Franklin	I John M. Cheek
31.1927, Sep. 9-11	I Bellview	I W. Franklin	I W.F. Jones	I J.M. Page	I J.T. Fender
32.1928, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I A. Hayes	I R.A. Wagoner
33.1929, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I W.F. Doughton	I W.F. Jones	I E. Whisenhunt	I R.A. Wagoner
34.1930, Sep. 12-14	I Sparta	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I J.L. Underwood	I M.E. Reeves
35.1931, Sep. 11-13	I Laurel Springs	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I T.M. Hayes	I M.E. Reeves
36.1932, Sep. 9-11	I New Hope	I W.F. Doughton	I J.L. Underwood	I C.H. McKnight	I John M. Cheek
37.1933, Sep. 8-10	I Bellview	I W.F. Doughton	I J.T. Fender	I G.A. Martin	I T.R. Burgess
38.1934, Sep. 7-9	I Liberty	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Blevins	I F.W. Royal
39.1935, Sep. 6-8	I Mt. Carmel	I J.K. Blum	I J.T. Fender	I S.L. Naff	I A.O. Joines
40.1936, Sep. 12-14	I Scottville	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fender	I C.H. McKnight	I A.O. Joines
41.1937, Sep. 10-12	I Pine Fork	I F.W. Royall	I J.T. Fender	I H.J. Ford	I John M. Cheek
42.1938, Sep. 9-11	I Sparta	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I J.M. Hayes	I John M. Cheek
43.1939, Sep. 8-10	I Chestnut Grove	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I S.L. Blevins	I John M. Cheek
44.1940, Sep. 6-8	I Laurel Springs	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I A.C. Ashley	I John M. Cheek
45.1941, Sep. 12-14	I New Hope	I A.O. Joines	I Van Miller	I N.M. Greene	I W.F. Doughton
46.1942, Sep. 12-13	I Bellview	I F.W. Royall	I Van Miller	I W.T. Whittington	I W.F. Doughton
47.1943, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I R.H. Satterfield	I W.F. Doughton
48.1944, Sep. 9-10	I Mt. Carmel	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I E.B. Barton	I W.F. Doughton
49.1945, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I John M. Cheek	I Van Miller	I W.H. Caldwell	I W.F. Doughton
50.1946, Sep. 7-8	I Osborne Memorial	I John M. Cheek	I W.P. Johnson	I C Gwaltney	I W.F. Doughton
51.1947, Sep. 13-14	I Scottville	I Dr. N.D. Fox			I W.F. Doughton

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TIME	Church	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER	Chmn.Ex. Comm
52. 1948, Sep. 11-12	Pine Fork	Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.S.L. Bleivins	I.W.F. Doughton
53. 1949, Sep. 10-11	Laurel Springs	Dr. N.D. Fox	I.W.P. Johnson	I.J.G. Goodman	I.W.F. Doughton
54. 1950, Sep. 9-10	New River	Van F. Miller	I.W.K. Sprinkle	I.F.G. Walker	I.W.F. Doughton
55. 1951, Sep. 8-9	New Hope	Van F. Miller	I.J.B. Reed	I.Fred Bleivins	Van F. Miller
56. 1952, Sep. 13-14	Chestnut Grove	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.E.V. Burmgarner	I.W.F. Doughton
57. 1953, Sep. 12-13	Bellview	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.H.J. Ford	I.W.F. Doughton
58. 1954, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.C.H. McKnight	I.A.O. Joines
59. 1955, Sep. 10-11	Mt. Carmel	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.R.R. Campbell	I.A.O. Joines
60. 1956, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.Audley Frazier	I.A.O. Joines
61. 1957, Sep. 7-8	Osborne Memorial	Van F. Miller	I.George Shepherd	I.C.H. McKnight	I.A.O. Joines
62. 1958, Sep. 7-8	Scottville	E.C. Minnich	I.Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I.Earnest Upchurch	I.A.O. Joines
63. 1959, Sep. 11-12	Pine Fork	Jack W. Byrd	I.Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I.Guy W. Cain	Van F. Miller
64. 1960, Sep. 9-10	Laurel Springs	Van F. Miller	I.Mrs. T.S. Moxley	I.Guy W. Cain	Van F. Miller
65. 1961, Sep. 8-9	New River	Van F. Miller	I.Mrs. A.E. Sells	I.A.E. Sells	Rev. Jack Byrd
66. 1962, Sep. 7-8	New Hope	Van Miller	I.Donna Jones	I.Cleo Whitney	I.Jack W. Byrd
67. 1963, Sep. 6-7	Chestnut Grove	Van F. Miller	I.Donna Jones	I.Bobby Elledge	I.Ben Reeves
68. 1964, Sep. 11-12	Sparta	Van F. Miller	I.Donna Jones	I.Jack W. Byrd	I.Ben Reeves
69. 1965, Sep. 10-11	Mt. Carmel	Lewis Williams	I.Donna Jones	I.James Durham	Van F. Miller
70. 1966, Sep. 8-9	Liberty	Bobby Elledge	I.Donna Jones	I.Jack Richardson	Van F. Miller
71. 1967, Sep. 9-10	Osborne Memorial	J.K. Blum	I.Donna Jones	I.Everett Shaw	I.J.K. Blum
72. 1968, Sep. 6-7	Scottville	J.K. Blum	I.Donna Jones	I.Austol Youmans	I.J.K. Blum
73. 1969, Sep. 12-13	Pine Fork	J.K. Blum	I.Donna Jones	I.J.T. Pardue	I.J.K. Blum
74. 1970, Sep. 11-12	Laurel Springs	J.K. Blum	Irene R. Wagner	I.Bobby Elledge	I.J.K. Blum
75. 1971, Sep. 10-11	New River	Claude Roupe	I.Jimmy L. Warden	I.Michael Sepaugh	I.Claude Roupe
76. 1972, Sep. 8-9	Bellview	Claude Roupe	I.Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I.William Poole	I.Claude Roupe
77. 1973, Sep. 7-8	Chestnut Grove	Claude Roupe	I.Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I.Michael Sepaugh	I.Claude Roupe
78. 1974, Sep. 6-7	New Hope	Claude Roupe	I.Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I.William Poole	I.Claude Roupe
79. 1975, Sep. 12-13	Sparta	Claude Roupe	I.Mrs. J.L. Osborne	I.James Lambert	I.Claude Roupe
80. 1976, Sep. 10-11	Mt. Carmel	Micheal Sepaugh	I.Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I.Jimmy Warden	I.Micheal Sepaugh
81. 1977, Sep. 9-10	Liberty	Micheal Sepaugh	I.Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I.Bill Ballou	I.Micheal Sepaugh
82. 1978, Sep. 8-9	Osborne Memorial	Mac Warren	I.Mrs. F.A. Wagner	I.Dwight Leftwich	I.Mac Warren

83. 1979, Sep. 7-8	I Pine Fork	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
84. 1980, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Gene Webb	I Thomas Neville
85. 1981, Sep. 11-12	I New Hope	I Thomas Neville	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Glenn Graves	I Thomas Neville
86. 1982, Sep. 10-11	I Bellview	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Howard J. Ford	I Glenn Graves
87. 1983, Sep. 9-10	I Sparta	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Tom Graves	I Glenn Graves
88. 1984, Sep. 7-8	I Mount Carmel	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Jim Lambert	I Glenn Graves
89. 1985, Sep. 13-14	I Osborne Memorial	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Dr. Roy J. Smith	I Glenn Graves
90. 1986, Sep. 12-13	I Liberty	I Glenn Graves	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bill Ballou	I Glenn Graves
91. 1987, Sep. 11-12	I Chestnut Grove	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Tom Lolley	I Bob Richardson
92. 1988, Sep. 10-11	I Pine Fork	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bill Ballou	I Bob Richardson
93. 1989, Sep. 8-9	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Bobby Elledge	I Bob Richardson
94. 1990, Sep. 14-15	I New Hope	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Larry Atwood	I Bob Richardson
95. 1991, Sep. 13-14	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Johnny Huffman	I Bob Richardson
96. 1992, Sep. 11-12	I Sparta	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Jack Byrd	I Bob Richardson
97. 1993, Sep. 10-11	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I David Finney	I Rev. Jimmy Warden	I Bob Richardson
98. 1994, Sep. 9-10	I Mount Carmel	I Bob Richardson	I Karen Sealey	I Rev. Russell Mabe	I Bob Richardson
99. 1995, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bob Richardson	I Karen Sealey	I Rev. Bill Yates	I Bob Richardson
100. 1996, Sep. 13-14	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Barbara Richardson	I Rev. Dean Adams	I Bob Richardson
101. 1997, Sep. 12-13	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I	I Rev. Dana Hines	I Bob Richardson
102. 1998, Sep. 11-12	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Russell Mabe	I Bob Richardson
103. 1999, Sep. 10-11	I Mount Carmel	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Everette Shaw	I Bob Richardson
104. 2000, Sep. 8-9	I Liberty	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Ralph Smith	I Bob Richardson
105. 2001, Sep. 7-8	I Bellview	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Billy Felts	I Bob Richardson
106. 2002, Sep. 6-7	I Laurel Springs	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Dana Hines	I Bob Richardson
107. 2003, Sep. 5-6	I Osborne Memorial	I Bob Richardson	I Mrs. F. A. Wagner	I Rev. Russell Mabe	I Bob Richardson
108. 2004, Sep. 10-11	I Mount Carmel	I Bob Richardson	I Joyce Farley	I Rev. Everette Shaw	I Bob Richardson
109. 2005, Sep. 9-10	I Liberty	I Bob Richardson	I Joyce Farley	I Rev. Ralph Smith	I Bob Richardson
110. 2006, Sep. 8-9	I Sparta	I Larry Powers	I Joyce Farley	I Rev. John McCray	I Larry Powers
111. 2007, Sep. 7-8	I Bellview	I Larry Powers	I Joyce Farley	I Rev. Larry Powers	I Larry Powers
112. 2008, Sep. 5-6	I Laurel Springs	I Allen Huffman	I Joyce Farley	I Rev. Dana Hines	I Allen Huffman



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Sparta First	Rev. John McCray P O Box 668 Sparta NC 28675	1884	2003





